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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING
REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE

August 16, 2011, at 7:00 PM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Redistricting Task Force of the City and County of San Francisco will hold a special meeting on **Tuesday, August 16, 2011, at 7:00 p.m.**, at 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 400, City Hall, San Francisco, California.

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I. Swearing in of Members by Madeleine Licavoli, Deputy Director, Clerk of the Board's Office

II. Call to Order

III. Brief remarks on purpose of the Task Force (John Arntz, Director of Elections).

IV. Roll Call and Introductions

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VI. Discussion and action to designate a member of the Task Force as Chair, and possible election of Vice-Chair, including possible decision to postpone election of officers to the next meeting.

VII. Discussion and possible action to set regular meeting times and location.

VIII. Discussion of governmental ethics laws and public meeting and open records requirements that apply to the Task Force (Deputy City Attorneys Mollie Lee and Andrew Shen).

IX. Introduction of consultant, Q2 Data and Research, and overview of services (Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant).

X. Discussion regarding future agenda items.

XI. Public Comment.

XII. Adjournment.

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I. Swearing in of Members by Madeleine Licavoli, Deputy Director, Clerk of the Board's Office

Members of the Task Force were sworn in by Madeleine Licavoli, Deputy Director, Clerk of the Board's Office.

II. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

III. Brief remarks on purpose of the Task Force (John Arntz, Director of Elections).

John Arntz, Director of Elections, made opening remarks regarding the purpose of the Task Force.

Public Comment: None.

IV. Roll Call and Introductions

Mike Alonso
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All members were present and made brief introductory remarks.

Public Comment: None.

VI. Discussion and action to designate a member of the Task Force as Chair, and possible election of Vice-Chair, including possible decision to postpone election of officers to the next meeting.

Member Eric McDonnell was elected Chair, and Member Jenny Lam was elected Vice-Chair.

Public Comment: Chris Bowman and Ace Washington spoke on the matter.

VII. Discussion and possible action to set regular meeting times and location.

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to set City Hall, Room 400, as the regular meeting location for the Task Force. The motion passed without objection.

Public Comment: None.

VIII. Discussion of governmental ethics laws and public meeting and open records requirements that apply to the Task Force (Deputy City Attorneys Mollie Lee and Andrew Shen).

Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee made a presentation concerning public meeting requirements that applied to the Task Force and answered questions raised by Task Force members.

Deputy City Attorney Andrew Shen made a presentation concerning governmental ethics laws and open records requirements that applied to the Task Force and answered questions raised by Task Force members. Deputy City Attorney Shen also advised Task Force members that they would need to file their Form 700s, Statements of Economic Interests, within 30 days.

Public Comment: None.

IX. Introduction of consultant, Q2 Data and Research, and overview of services (Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant).

Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant, Q2 Data and Research, presented an overview of the services her firm will be providing to the Task Force regarding redistricting and answered questions raised by Task Force members.

Tamina Alon, Q2 Data and Research, and Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee presented information concerning the matter and/or answered questions raised during the discussion of this agenda item.

Public Comment: Ace Washington stated that he attended to document the redistricting process. Chris Bowman mentioned that he served on the Elections Task Force in 1995, and discussed material that could assist Task Force members with the redistricting process.

X. Discussion regarding future agenda items.

Task Force members discussed possible future agenda items, including:

Future Meetings and Locations
Criteria for Redistricting
Voting Rights Act
Outreach and Communications
Data and Maps
Clerical and Administrative
Work Plan
Bylaws

Public Comment: None.

XI. Public Comment.

Chris Bowman commented on the redistricting process. Anthony Vapor stated that he would want access to mapping software.

XII. Adjournment.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

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Eric McDonnell, Chair
Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
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David Pilpel
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2. Set Regular Meeting Times and Locations. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Meeting Room Availability)

3. Redistricting Task Force Bylaws. (Discussion only, bylaws will not be formally adopted until a future meeting.) (Explanatory Document: Draft Bylaws)

4. Communications Guidelines. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss its approach to communications with members of the public, City staff, City officials, local media, and others.

5. Legal Requirements for Redistricting. (Discussion.) (Explanatory Document: August 16, 2011 memorandum regarding legal requirements for redistricting) Deputy City Attorney Andrew Shen will present a brief overview of the legal requirements for redistricting.

6. Task Force Outreach Activities. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will plan outreach activities and efforts. This will include, but not be limited to, topics such as budget, times, locations, website, and possible formation of outreach committees.

7. Future Agenda Items. (Discussion.)

8. Approval of Minutes from the August 16, 2011 meeting of the Redistricting Task Force. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: August 16, 2011 Minutes)

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SPECIAL MEETING

August 29, 2011, 6:00 PM
City Hall, Room 278

1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

Eric McDonnell, Chair
Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Mike Alonso
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Sonia Melara
Marily Mondejar
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Melissa Tidwell

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The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. All members were present.

2. Set Regular Meeting Times and Locations.

The Task Force voted unanimously to set the first Wednesday of each month , at 6:00 p.m., in Room 406, and the third Friday of each month, at 3:00 p.m., in Room 416, as the regular meeting times and locations for the Task Force.

Public Comment: None.

3. Redistricting Task Force Bylaws.

Deputy City Attorney Shen briefly presented a draft version of bylaws to the Redistricting Task Force for its consideration. Members of the Task Force suggested further changes to the bylaws, including adding a provision that would allow the Task Force to create committees as necessary.

Public Comment: Lupe Melaria stated that it was important for members of the Task Force to attend community meetings.

4. Communications Guidelines.

Members of the Task Force discussed various approaches to outreach and communication. Among the issues addressed were the Task Force's outreach budget, translation of public comment and feedback, interaction with other City departments, inviting members of past redistricting task forces to future meetings, and whether the Chair should serve

as the Task Force's media spokesperson. The Task Force also asked the Deputy City Attorney to assist in the drafting of communications guidelines, for its consideration at a future meeting.

Public Comment: Chris Bowman offered suggestions on how the Task Force could handle its communications with others. Lupe Melaria stated that it was important for the Task Force to have talking points on particular subjects or a template that all the members could use.

5. Legal Requirements for Redistricting.

Deputy City Attorney Shen provided a brief overview of the legal requirements for redistricting. Members of the Task Force asked questions about types of populations that should be considered and the Charter's restrictions on population variation between districts.

Public Comment: Chris Bowman discussed keeping neighborhoods intact and gerrymandering. Lupe Melaria discussed the percentage of the population that votes. Robert Rubin, of the Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights, addressed some of the issues highlighted by the Task Force, including the Voting Rights Act's requirements.

6. Task Force Outreach Activities.

The Task Force discussed several different approaches to offsite community meetings, including how many rounds of community meetings it should hold, whether the Task Force should form outreach committees, when such meetings should be held, and whether the Task Force should consider its regular business items at community meetings. Chair McDonnell discussed next steps on this subject, including discussions with Karin Mac Donald of Q2 Data & Research regarding a draft timeline and information about redistricting that the Task Force could distribute to the public.

Speakers: Chris Bowman provided the Task Force with advice regarding offsite meetings. Lupe Melaria stated that only four languages would need to be translated at offsite meetings.

7. Future Agenda Items.

Task Force members discussed possible future agenda items, including:

Bylaws
Communications Policy
Consultant Work Plan and Timeline
Outreach

Chair McDonnell asked Task Force members to let him and the Clerk know at least a week in advance if they wanted to include additional items added to the next meeting agenda.

8. Approval of Minutes from the August 16, 2011 meeting of the Redistricting Task Force.

The Task Force, with an amendment to add the roll call vote on Item 6, the election of Task Force Chair and Vice-Chair, approved the minutes.

9. Public Comment.

Public Comment: None.

10. Adjournment.

The meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

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3. Approval of Minutes from the August 29, 2011 meeting of the Redistricting Task Force. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: August 29, 2011 Minutes)

4. Redistricting Task Force Budget. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss its existing budget, especially concerning outreach, and possible ways in which to seek additional funds.

5. Presentation by Redistricting Consultant on its Scope of Services and Outreach Planning. (Discussion.) (Explanatory Document: Agreement between the City and County of San Francisco and Q2 Data & Research, LLC) Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, will lead the discussion.

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6. Outreach to City Departments. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Preliminary List of City Departments) The Task Force will discuss its outreach to other City departments, boards, and commissions.

7. Resolution Regarding Redistricting Task Force Communications. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Draft Resolution) The Task Force will discuss, and possibly adopt, a resolution regarding its communications among its members, with the public, and with City departments.

8. Redistricting Task Force Member Reports. (Discussion.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their respective discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.

9. Future Agenda Items. (Discussion.)

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The meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m. All members were noted present.

2. Redistricting Task Force Bylaws.

The Task Force discussed additional amendments to their bylaws.

Jon Givner (Deputy City Attorney); presented information concerning the matter and/or answered questions raised during the hearing.

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved to adopt the Redistricting Task Force Bylaws as further amended (Article 5 and Article 7- Section 10).

The motion was unanimously approved.

Public Comment: None.

3. Approval of Minutes from the August 29, 2011 meeting of the Redistricting Task Force.

The Task Force discussed the details to be included in the minutes. Member Pilpel requested that John Arntz, Director of the Department of Elections, be listed on the agendas as an ex-officio member.

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved to approve the meeting minutes of August 29, 2011, as amended.

The motion was unanimously approved.

Public Comment: None.

4. Redistricting Task Force Budget.

The Task Force discussed the budget and requested that a copy of the budget be made available at the next meeting.

Unanimously continued to the next Redistricting Task Force meeting.

Public Comment: None.

5. Presentation by Redistricting Consultant on its Scope of Services and Outreach Planning.

Karin MacDonald (Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q3 Data and Research, LLC); provided an overview and responded to questions of the Task Force concerning the scope of work as it pertains to the contract for service, outreach to the public and criteria on the database collection.

Unanimously continued to the call of the chair.

Public Comment: None.

6. Outreach to City Departments.

The Task Force discussed the list of city departments that may be useful in providing information on various city neighborhoods. It was suggested that the following departments be added to the list: Police, Planning, and Public Health, SFUSD, Department of Children, Youth and Their Families, Status of Women, Mayor's Office of Housing, SF Municipal Transportation Agency, Fire, and SFPUC.

Member Melara, seconded by Member Tidwell, moved to authorize Member Pilpel to prepare correspondence to other City agencies, boards and commissions to request input concerning redistricting. The correspondence shall be approved by the Chair and Vice-Chair before distribution.

The motion was unanimously approved.

Public Comment: None.

7. Resolution Regarding Redistricting Task Force Communications.

Member Melara, seconded by Member Tidwell, moved to approve the proposed correspondence as amended to replace "President" with "Chair".

The motion was unanimously approved as amended.

The communication will be posted and become the policy of the Redistricting Task Force.

Public Comment: None.

8. Redistricting Task Force Member Reports.

Member Pilpel reported that he was requested to provide an update to the Coalition of SF Neighborhoods and BART.
Member Mondejar reported that she was requested to provide an update to the 13th Assembly District. (amended 10/21/11)
Member Melara requested that a rules of redistricting policy be created prior to the community outreach meetings.(amended 10/21/11)
Member Leigh reported that he was requested to provide an update to Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club. Member Leigh also requested an agenda item to review the talking points for redistricting presentations.
Member Alonso reported that he was invited to attend a meeting at UC Hastings.

The Chair and Vice-Chair will work with the City Attorney to create a standard presentation that will explain redistricting and encourage the public to participate in the process.

Public Comment: None.

9. Future Agenda Items.

The follow are potential agenda items suggested by the members of the Redistricting Task Force:

Data Criteria.
Outreach Timeline.

Talking Points.
Invite Previous Redistricting Panels to provide presentation on lessons learned.

Other suggestions:
Hire outreach consultants.
Should the meetings be televised?
Request to maintain a running list of pending agenda items.
Request copy of Department of Elections report on outreach methods.

Public Comment: None.

10. Public Comment.

Public Comment: Speaker: Otto Duffy requested that agendas be placed at the Department of Elections and all expressed concern regarding the SOMA boundaries and the need to hold task force meetings in this district.

11. Adjournment.

The meeting adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

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REGULAR MEETING

October 5, 2011, 6:00 PM
City Hall, Room 416

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

Eric McDonnell, Chair
Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Mike Alonso
Myong Leigh
Sonia Melara
Marily Mondejar
David Pilpel
Mark Schreiber
Melissa Tidwell

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2. Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will discuss required criteria, additional criteria, and data sources, and may take action to adopt criteria or select data sources. Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, will lead the discussion.

3. Outreach Planning. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Draft Schedule for Off-Site Outreach Meetings) The Task Force will review the draft schedule for off-site community meetings in November 2011. It will also discuss, and may act upon, outreach timing, planning, communications and budget.

4. Redistricting Task Force Budget. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss its existing budget, especially concerning outreach, and possible ways in which to seek additional funds.

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5. Content of Community Outreach Meetings. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss the content of the November 2011 community meetings, including but not limited to agenda items, presentations, and the respective roles and responsibilities of Task Force Members and the Redistricting Consultant.

6. Talking Points. (Discussion.) (Explanatory Document: Talking Points) The Chair will present talking points regarding the work of the Task Force.

7. Outreach to Past Task Force Members. (Discussion and possible action.)

8. Redistricting Task Force Member Reports. (Discussion.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their respective discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.

9. Future Agenda Items. (Discussion.)

10. Public Comment. Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction and are not on today's agenda.

11. Adjournment.

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REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE - SCHEDULE OF OFF-SITE MEETINGS

NOVEMBER 2011

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Districts 9, 10 – Horace Mann Middle School Auditorium, 3351 23rd Street – District 9
Wednesday, November 2, 6:00 p.m.

Districts 1, 2, 5 – Hall of Flowers, 9th Avenue at Lincoln Way – District 1
Monday , November 7, 6:00 p.m.

Districts 3, 6, 8 – Tenderloin Community School, 627 Turk Street – District 6
Friday, November 18, 6:00 p.m.

Districts 4, 7, 11 – Balboa High School Auditorium – 1000 Caguya Street – District 11
Wednesday, November 30, 6:00 p.m.

San Francisco Redistricting Task Force
Talking Points

Background

On March 8, 2011, the US Census Bureau released its 2010 decennial census data for California. According to this data, San Francisco's population is 805,235, an increase of 28,502 people (3.7%) from the 2000 census count of 776,733 people. Because this population growth creates uneven population across the City's supervisorial districts, this triggered the district lines be redrawn based upon the Charter.

The Board of Supervisors convened the Task Force to carry out the required redistricting with members appointed by the Elections Commission, the Board of Supervisors, and the Mayor. The Charter vests the Task Force with the responsibility of redrawing supervisorial district boundaries by April 15, 2012. While performing this responsibility, the Task Force must comply with the legal requirements established by the Constitution, the Voting Rights Act, and the Charter.

Scope of Work

The Task Force first convened on August 16, 2011 and will continue until final maps with redrawn district lines are delivered to the Board of Supervisors no later than April 15, 2012 (per the Charter).

The major components of the work of the Task Force are:

- Community Education – Task Force will seek to educate the public about what redistricting is, it's importance and ways to get involved through multiple forums (in-person, online, written, etc).
- Data Collection – Task Force will seek data sources including, but not limited to: census data, city and department planning data, neighborhood data, and communities of interests.
- Community Input – Task Force will invite San Francisco residents to give input, react to draft maps and lines, and submit proposed maps.
- Approval of Maps – Task Force will adopt maps with redrawn district lines based upon the data, community input, and legal counsel.

Members of the Task Force

	Appointed By
Eric McDonnell, Chair	Board of Supervisors
Jenny Lam, Vice-Chair	Board of Supervisors
Mike Alonso	Board of Supervisors
Myong Leigh	Mayor
Sonia Melara	Mayor
Marily Mondejar	Mayor
David Pilpel	Elections Commission
Mark Schreiber	Elections Commission
Melissa Tidwell	Elections Commission

Task Force is supported by:

- **Clerk of the Board –** Gail Johnson
- **City Attorney's Office –** Deputy City Attorney Andrew Shen and Mollie Lee
- **Redistricting Consultant –** Q2 Data & Research LLC – Karin MacDonald

Communication

The Task Force will communicate with the public through regular Task Force meetings, special community meetings, printed materials and the Task Force website. The website (http://sfgov2.org/index.aspx?page=2622) is the best place to find out latest information about the Redistricting process. We invite the public to learn about and actively participate. Every voice from every community in San Francisco is important.

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1. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Pilpel, and Schreiber were noted present.

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to excuse members Mondejar and Tidwell. Motion to excuse Members Mondejar and Tidwell passed without objection.

2. Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries

Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research presented an overview, via a power point presentation, outlining required criteria, additional criteria, and data sources to be utilized in the redistricting process. Members discussed the possible addition of other criteria parks, institutions and business districts. Ms. MacDonald recommended not to include parks and institutions as a criteria, but rather as a best practice. The members requested that the consultant provide the members with a list of San Francisco business districts and other defined districts in San Francisco. (6:02 p.m. – 7:33 p.m.)

Public Comment: None
Continued October 21, 2011

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The Members recessed at 7:33 p.m. and reconvened at 7:45 p.m.

3. Outreach Planning for Off-Site Community Meetings

Chair McDonnell reviewed and polled the members on their availability for the proposed off-site

community meetings in November 2011.

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to cancel the November 2, 2011 and November 18, 2011 regular scheduled meetings; further moved to schedule a special off-site community meeting on November 2, 2011 at Horace Mann Middle School Auditorium at 6:00 p.m. and on November 30, 2011 at Balboa High School Auditorium at 6:00 p.m.; and further moved to schedule special off-site meetings on November 15, 2011 or November 16, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. and on November 19, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. pending approval of locations.
(7:33 p.m. – 8:16 p.m.)

Public Comment: None
Motion was approved without objection.

4. Redistricting Task Force Budget
John Arntz, Director of the Department of Elections, reviewed with the members the budget for the Redistricting Task Force Budget. Mr. Artnz informed the members the monies allotted for the administrative costs associated with the task force are received through a work order with the Clerk of the Board's Office. Members requested a monitoring of line items relating to the Consultant, Outreach and Materials and Supplies. (7:46 p.m. – 8:16 p.m.)

Public Comment: None
Hearing Held.

5. Content of Community Outreach Meetings
Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research presented an overview of the contents for the November 2011 and reviewed with the members the roles and responsibilities of the Task Force Members and the Redistricting Consultant. Members requested the consultant to prepare draft items to be used for community outreach meetings for approval at the next meeting. (8:59 p.m. - 9:44 p.m.)

Public Comment: Ms. Aeillo suggested that the task force members might consider having additional staff taking notes during public testimony at the off-site community meetings.

Hearing Held. Continued to October 21, 2011 meeting.

6. Talking Points. Regarding the Work of the Task Force.
Chair McDonnell reviewed the talking points regarding the work of the Task Force
Members made the following suggestions that the document be renamed and that a table indicated the changes in each district included, and as more meetings evolve these be listed on the document. Chair McDonnell will make changes to the document and bring back for the

members approval. (9:45 p.m.- 9:47 p.m.)

Public Comment: None
Continued to October 21, 2011.

7. Outreach to Past Task Force Members
Members discussed the possibility of inviting past members of the Redistricting Task force to attend a meeting to share historical experiences during their membership on the Redistricting Task Force. Members indicated that the past members should be given a clear and concise direction as far as time constraints and the sharing of information which will be most beneficial to the current Task Force.
Member Leigh will prepare a draft letter for approval by the members to invite past members to attend a meeting. (9:47 p.m. – 9:54 p.m.)

Public Comment: ,None
Continued to October 21, 2011 meeting.

8. Redistricting Task Force Member Reports
Members made their reports relating to discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future. (9:58 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.)

Member Schreiber reported that he had been informing members of the public of the upcoming outreach meetings and encouraging them to attend.

Member Pilpel reported that he had been following the Bart Redistricting process, and also had attended the Coalition of SF Neighborhoods meeting with an invitation to attend Diamonds Heights Association.

Member Lam reported that she would attending the Advancing Justice Conference on October 27, 2011 and would provide an overview of the Task Force process.

Member Leigh reported that he would be attending the Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club and will be able to provide an overview of the Task Force process.

Member Melara reported that she would outreach to the public now that the Task Force had created an overview to share.
Member Alonso reported that he had attended meetings of GIS at State College and SF City College.

Chair McDonnell had nothing to report.

Public Comment: None

9. Future Agenda Items (10:00 p.m. – 10:05 p.m.)

Task Force members discussed possible future agenda items, including:

Member Pilpel requested the Deputy City Attorney to respond to a previous memorandum submitted regarding legal issues. (10:00 p.m. -- 10:05 p.m.)

10. Public Comment None (10:06 p.m.)

11. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 10:07 p.m.

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REGULAR MEETING

October 21, 2011, 3:00 PM
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Eric McDonnell, Chair
Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Mike Alonso
Myong Leigh
Sonia Melara
Marily Mondejar
David Pilpel
Mark Schreiber
Melissa Tidwell

2. Approval of minutes from the September 16, 2011, and October 5, 2011 meetings of the Redistricting Task Force. (Discussion and possible action) (Explanatory Documents: September 16, 2011 and October 5, 2011 meeting minutes.)

3. Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries. (Discussion.) The Task Force will discuss required criteria, additional criteria, and data sources. The Consultant will discuss lists of business districts and other defined districts.

4. Draft Content of Community Outreach. (Discussion and possible action) (Explanatory Documents: Draft speaker card; Draft community of interest handout; Draft deviations by district handout; Draft Google maps handout; Draft redistricting criteria and glossary handout; and Draft presentation.) The Task Force will discuss the content of the November 2011 community meetings, including but not limited to agenda items, presentations, and the respective roles and responsibilities of Task Force Members and the Redistricting Consultant. The Consultant will present draft items to be used in the off-site community meetings.

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5. Discussion of Final Work Product. (Discussion and possible action) (Explanatory Documents: Final Report of San Francisco Redistricting Task Force for 2000 Census; Final Report of the San Diego Redistricting Commission for the 2010 Census.)

6. Task Force Overview - Talking Points regarding the work of the Task Force. (Discussion and possible action.) (Explanatory Document: Revised Talking Points.) Chair will present revised talking points for approval.

7. Outreach to past Task Force Members. (Discussion.) (Explanatory Document: Draft letter to the past members of the Redistricting Task Forces.) Member Leigh will present a draft letter for approval.

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October 21, 2011 – 3:00 P.M
Regular Meeting

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Call to Order and Roll Call
The meeting was called to order at 3:09 p.m.

Members Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber and Tidwell were noted present.
Member Pilpel was noted absent.
Member Leigh, seconded by Member Lam, moved to excuse Member Pilpel.
Motion to excuse Member Pilpel passed without objection.

2. Approval of minutes from the September 16, 2011, and October 5, 2011 meetings of the Redistricting Task Force (3:10 p.m to 3:15 p.m.)
Member Melara indicated that she had stated that a rules of redistricting be created prior to the community presentations; Member Mondejar indicated that she had been requested to provide an update to the 13th Assembly District.
Member Leigh, seconded by Member Lam, moved to approve the September 16, 2011minutes as corrected; Member Leigh, seconded by Member Lam, moved to approve the October 5, 2011 minutes as submitted.
Motions passed without objection.
Public comment: None

3. Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries (3:16 p.m. to 3:50 p.m.)
Ms. Tamina Alon and Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research reviewed and discussed the required criteria, additional criteria, and data sources with the Task Force Members. Task Force Members asked questions relating to the effects of dividing communities of interest. and the possibility of providing examples as to the effects of dividing the communities of interest and other materials to be distributed during community outreach meetings.

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Public Comment: Chris Bowman reviewed definitions of the lines and maps of the various districts provided by the consultant. He requested that Task Force Members consider using additional organizational maps in the redistricting process.

Members requested the consultant provide the following organizational maps for review: Council of District Merchants, Coalition of San Francisco Neighborhoods and West of Twin Peaks Central Council.

Hearing Held. Continued to call of the Chair.

4. Draft Content of Community Outreach (3:50 to 4:19 p.m.)
Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2, reviewed with the Task Force Members the following documents: draft speaker card; draft community of interest handout; draft deviations by district handout; draft Google maps handout; draft redistricting criteria and glossary handout; and draft presentation. Task Force Members provided input relating to the slide presentation and made suggestions including guidelines or questions for the public to encourage public participation, examples of the effects of redistricting, and elaborating the time-lines.

Public Comment: Chris Bowman requested that previous redistricting maps for 1976, 1995, and 2002 be included in the presentation for historical perspective. He also suggested that the focus be on San Francisco and include a list of the communities of interest.
Lupe Melaria addressed the issue relating to the availability of translators at community outreach meetings.

Chair McDonnell requested that Task Force Members provide changes to the slide presentation to the Clerk by Monday, October 24, 2011.

Hearing Held.

5. Discussion of Final Work Product (4:19 p.m.to 4:35 p.m.)
Task Force Members reviewed and discussed the 2002 Final Report of the San Francisco Redistricting Task Force and the Final Report of the San Diego Redistricting Commission for the 2010 Census. Task Force Members asked Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee who was responsible for preparing the final report of the Task Force and would written findings of fact be required. Deputy City Attorney Lee informed the members that the only required work product from the Task Force is the metes and bounds of the new district lines, but there may be reasons to prepare written findings of fact.
Task Force Members discussed the process for documenting the redistricting process to be used in preparing the final report.
Public Comment: Chris Bowman informed Task Force Members that previous Task Force Members prepared the report and that each member provided a section of the report.

Hearing Held.

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6. Task Force Overview - Talking Points regarding the work of the Task Force
(4:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.)
Chair McDonnell presented and reviewed the revised talking points for approval. Member Melara requested clarification regarding the differences on the talking points overview statistics to those on the map provided by the consultant. The Clerk will revise the talking points to reflect the same statistics on both documents. The Clerk will then transmit the new document to each Task Force Member for their use.

Public Comment: None
Hearing Held.

7. Outreach to past Task Force Members (4:46 p.m. to 4:47 p.m.).
Member Leigh presented and reviewed a draft letter to past Redistricting Task Force members.

Public Comment: None
McDonnell requested that Task Force Members provide any changes to this document to the Clerk by Monday, October 24, 2011.
Hearing Held.

8. Redistricting Task Force Members Reports (4:46 p.m. to 4:48 p.m.)
Members reported on discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.

Member Leigh updated the Task Force Members on the presentation he made on October 10, 2011 to the Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club

Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force Members that he had spoken with Supervisors representing Districts 1, 2, 5, 9, and 10 and had requested their assistance in promoting the community outreach meetings.

Public Comment: None
Hearing held.

9. Future Agenda Items (4:49 p.m.-4:51 p.m.)
Task Force members discussed possible future agenda items, including the following:
Chair McDonnell continued the Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries item.
Member Alonso requested that Supervisor Eric Mar be invited to attend the meeting of November 2, 2011.

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Public Comment: None
Hearing held.

10. Public Comment (4:52p.m. to- 5:04 p.m.)
Chris Bowman requested that an item relating to the various demographic changes in San Francisco be calendared for the first meeting in December.
Note: Item 4 was reopened for public comment on that item.

11. Adjournment
The meeting adjourned at the hour of 5:04 p.m.

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Date: **November 2, 2011**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Auditorium, Horace Mann Middle School, 3351-23rd Street, San Francisco, CA**

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NOTICE OF CANCELLED MEETING

SPECIAL MEETING

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Special Meeting of the Redistricting Task Force scheduled for Wednesday, November 2, 2011 at 600 p.m., at Horace Mann Middle School Auditorium, 3351 – 23rd Street, San Francisco, California has been cancelled.

Kay Gulbengay
Clerk, Redistricting Task Force Clerk

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Date: **November 15, 2011**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Hall of Flowers - County Fair Building**
9th Avenue at Lincoln Way
San Francisco, CA

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Hall of Flowers
Golden Gate Park
9th Avenue at Lincoln Way
San Francisco, CA 94122

November 15, 2011 – 6:00 PM

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

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Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
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2. **Introduction to Redistricting** (Discussion) The RDTF will present an overview of redistricting and hear public comment regarding communities of interest. Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, will lead the discussion.
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3. **Presentation by former RDTF Member and current District 1 Supervisor Eric Mar** (Discussion)

4. **Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss required criteria, optional additional criteria, and data sources, and may take action to adopt criteria or select data sources. Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, will lead the discussion.

5. **Community Outreach** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss community meetings and other outreach activities, including but not limited to a proposal to cancel the regularly scheduled meeting of December 7, 2011 and hold a Special Off-Site meeting on December 7, 2011 at 6pm at Horace Mann Middle School Auditorium.

6. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of October 21, 2011** (Discussion and possible action) *[attachment: Draft Minutes]*

7. **Task Force Member Reports** (Discussion) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their respective discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.

8. **Public Comment:** Members of the public may address the Redistricting Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

9. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**

Next scheduled Special Meeting: Saturday - November 19, 2011 at 10 a.m.
Tenderloin Community School
627 Turk Street
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November 15, 2011– 6:00 P.M.

Special Meeting

Members: Eric McDonnell, Chair, Jenny Lam, Vice Chair, Member Alonso, Member Leigh, Member Melara, Member Mondejar. Member Schreiber, Member Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** (6:09 p.m. to 6:10 p.m.)
The meeting was called to order at 6:09 p.m. On the call of the roll, Members Leigh and Tidwell were noted absent. Member Tidwell was noted present at 6:13 p.m.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to excuse Member Leigh.
Motion passed without objection.

2. **Introduction to Redistricting** (6:11 p.m. to 7:08 p.m.)
Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research presented a slide presentation on the redistricting process. Chair McDonnell asked the public for questions relating to clarification of the redistricting process.

Public Comment:
Mike Sullivan, Parnassus Heights/Cole Valley, requested to keep Parnassus neighborhood together. This area was split in the last redistricting process between District 5 and District 7. He stated that one block of Edgewood Avenue is currently in District 7, even though it is part of a District 5 neighborhood and separated by Mt. Sutro from the rest of District 7. He also requested that Sea Cliff area be in District 1 rather than in District 2 because of its geographic proximity.
Linda Post, asked questions relating to the communication outreach process being used for notifying the public of the Task Force meetings and information relating to the process.
May Wong, Excelsior District Improvement Association, informed Task Force members that many members of the public do not have internet access to receive communications and notices electronically. She requested that hard copies be made available to the public.
Karen Mauney-Brodek, President Hayes/Valley Neighborhood Association, informed the Task Force members of the major changes in Hayes Valley and Western Addition neighborhoods. She indicated that she would submit her proposals in writing to the Task Force.
Thea Selby, Lower Haight Merchant & Neighborhood Association, requested that the Lower Haight area remain whole. This area was split between District 5 and District 8. She asked

that the neighborhood be kept together, either in District 5 or District 8, when the Task Force draws new district boundaries.
Marge Hom-Brown, Planning Association for the Richmond District, stated that in her experience working in the community, residents of Lake Street consider themselves (and are considered by their neighbors) part of the Richmond District community. She submitted a letter with proposals to reunite the Richmond District.
Jonathan Lyons, advocate for disability community, requested that Sea Cliff area be in District 1 rather than in District 2 because the natural physical boundaries of the Richmond neighborhood are the Presidio and Golden Gate Park.
Chair McDonnell requested that members of the public submit, in writing, to the Task Force their proposals for redistricting of their neighborhoods.

3. **Presentation by former RDTF Member and current District 1 Supervisor Eric Mar** (7:09 p.m. to 7:23 p.m.)
Supervisor Eric Mar shared with Task Force members his experiences as a past member of the Redistricting Task Force (Elections Task Force). He encouraged members to be open and democratic in resolving issues which might arise during the redistricting process and provide broad community outreach.
Task Force members asked Supervisor Mar questions relating to his experience on the task force which would assist them to make this redistricting process a smooth and effective process.
Supervisor Mar explained that Sea Cliff residents have close ties to District 2 based on wealth and social circles.
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman, informed the Task Force members of the redistricting decisions made by the 1995 Task Force members relating to Districts 1, 2, 5, 7, and 8. He also stated that residents of Sea Cliff are twice as likely to be registered Republicans than residents of District 1.

4. **Data Sources and Criteria for District Boundaries** (7:24 p.m. to 7:39 p.m.)
The Task Force discussed and reviewed the required criteria, optional additional criteria, and data sources with Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research. Member Melara raised the question whether or not it was a criterion that an incumbent member of the Board of Supervisors must remain in his/her current district. Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner indicated that the Task Force is not required to consider the residency of current Supervisors.
Public Comment:
May Wong, Excelsior District Improvement Association, inquired as to what are the criteria used for setting boundaries or drawing lines in open-space and parks and referred to McClaren Park. Karin MacDonald, Consultant, reviewed the criteria used to determine the drawing of lines for open space and parks.
Glen Van Lehn, District 5, inquired as to what is the size of a census block in San Francisco. Karin MacDonald, Consultant, gave an approximate size of the census block and indicated she would need to research the exact size of a census block in San Francisco.
Richard Magary, Buena Vista Neighborhood Association (BVNA), requested that all parks should remain in the same District and not be split.

5. **Community Outreach.** (7:39 p.m. to 7:55 p.m.)
The Task Force discussed community meetings and other outreach activities, including but not limited to a proposal to cancel the regularly scheduled meeting of December 7, 2011 and hold a Special Off-Site meeting on December 7, 2011 at 6 p.m. at Horace Mann Middle School Auditorium.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved to cancel the Regular Meeting on December 7, 2011, and schedule a Special Off-Site Meeting on December 7, 2011 at Horace Mann Middle School. at 6: 00 p.m.
Motion passed without objection.

Members provided the following as resources for outreach: SFGovTV, Channel 26 KTSF, ethnic media, outreach newspapers, social media, the Board of Supervisors neighborhood contacts, Department of Elections outreach agencies, youth organizations and the Youth Commission.
Chair McDonnell made the following Task Force member assignments:
Member Mondejar was assigned to be in charge of communications, specifically, outreach to the ethnic media.
Member Tidwell was assigned to provide a schedule of meetings for future off-site meetings for the Task Force.

Public Comment:
Chris Wright, stated that neighborhood blogs are also a form of social media that the Task Force should consider using in its outreach efforts.
Joaquin Torres, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, stated that reaching out to friends and associates through social networking sites (Facebook, linkedIn, etc) would be helpful to inform the public.
Glen Van-Lehn, District 5, stated that City College and State College newsletters and newspapers are a good resource for outreach.

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The Task Force recessed at the hour of 7:55 p.m., and reconvened at the hour of 8:05 p.m.

6. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of October 21, 2011** (8:05 p.m. to 8:08 p.m.)
Member Pilpel provided corrections to the Clerk.
Member Melara, seconded by Member Tidwell, moved to approve the minutes of October 21, 2011 as corrected.
Motion passed without objection.
Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Member Reports** (8:09 p.m. to 8:11 p.m.)
Members reported on discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.
Member Pilpel reported he had spoken at the Diamond Heights Association on October 13, 2011 and also to West of Twin Peaks Central Council on October 28, 2011.
Member Melara reported that she had sent hundreds of emails to interested parties informing them of the November 2, 2011 meeting followed by the cancelling of the November 2, 2011 meeting and confirming the December 7, 2011 meeting at Horace Mann Middle School.

Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force Members that he had spoken with members of the Board of Supervisors, and had requested their assistance in promoting the community outreach meetings. Supervisor Carmen Chu indicated neighborhood associations in her district would be interesting in having a presentation relating to the redistricting process.
Public Comment: None

8. **Public Comment:** (8:10 p.m. to 8:11 p.m.)
Public Comment: None

9. **Future Agenda Items** (8:10 p.m. to 8:14 p.m
Member Melara requested that an item relating to the scheduling of future meetings be on the November 30, 2011 agenda.
Member Pilpel inquired if they were any outstanding matters the Task Force had requested which were still pending.
Public Comment: None

10. **Adjournment**
The Meeting adjourned at the hour of 8:15 p.m.

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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3. **Presentations by Past Task Force Members** (Discussion)

4. **Task Force Work Assignments** (Discussion) The Chair will assign individual Task Force members to work on particular matters. These work assignments may include, but are not limited to, Outreach, Media/Communication, Data/Mapping, Budget/ Board of Supervisors, and Communities of Interest.

5. **Mapping** (Discussion) The Task Force will use mapping software to look at maps, learn the impact of moving lines, and begin to explore possible new district lines. Karin MacDonald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, will lead the discussion.

6. **Community Outreach** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss community meetings and other outreach activities.

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9. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**
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    Balboa High School
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Members: Eric McDonnell, Chair, Jenny Lam, Vice Chair, Member Mike Alonso, Member Mylong Leigh, Member Sonia Melara, Member Marily Mondejar. Member David Pilpel, Member Mark Schreiber, Member Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** *(10:10 a.m. - 10:11 a.m.)*

The meeting was called to order at 10:10 a.m. On the call of the roll, Member Mondejar was noted absent.

2. **Introduction to Redistricting** *(10:12 a.m. to 11:21 a.m.)*

Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, presented a slide presentation of the redistricting process. Chair McDonnell asked the public for questions relating to clarification of the redistricting process.

Public Comment:
Paul Hogarth, Tenderloin Housing Clinic, raised questions relating to the legality of moving Treasure Island from District 6 to District 3 as it relates to water boundaries and contiguity. Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee responded that this is a legal question that the City Attorney's office is reviewing and will provide an opinion to the Task Force.
John Bardis inquired how the criteria for compactness and contiguity were met in the previous mapping of District 5. He requested the Task Force to specifically look at the compactness of District 5 during the redistricting process.
Patrick Earl, Diamond Heights Association, inquired whether or not the gay community is considered a minority in the context of the Voting Acts Rights definitions of a minority. Karin Mac Donald, Consultant, responded that in the context of the Voting Rights Act that they are not considered a minority but could be considered as a Community of Interest. Mr. Earl also requested that Diamond Heights remain whole in the redistricting process.
Kathleen Courtney, Russian Hill Neighborhood Association, urged that neighborhood associations and organizations registered with the Planning Department be informed in order to participate in the redistricting process. Ms. Courtney inquired as to what was the selection process for the consultant for the 2011 redistricting.

Olga Milan-Howells, College Hill Association, informed the Task Force about the process of registering with the Planning Department and the criteria for the waiving of fees applied by the Planning Department. She asked what will the mapping look like and how does the Task Force arrive at the percentage information being utilized in the redistricting process.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Task Force, raised questions relating to language that neighborhoods are recognized and defined by the City and County of San Francisco. He asked where this language could be found in the San Francisco Charter or other legal text. He also inquired whether or not there is legal text which relates to using man made or natural boundaries in determining contiguity.
Paul Hogarth, Tenderloin Housing Clinic, strongly advocated to keep the Uptown Neighborhood District a Community of Interest. The Tenderloin Uptown Neighborhood District has become a Historic District and is closely aligned with the North of Market Community Benefit District. He asked the Task Force when redistricting District 6 not to go south of Geary Street or east of Van Ness Avenue. He will submit the official boundaries for the Tenderloin Uptown Neighborhood Historic District and the North of Market Community Benefit District.

3. **Presentation by Past Task Force Members** *(11:21 a.m. to 11:22 a.m.)*

There were no presentations made by past task force members.

Public Comment: None

4. **Task Force Work Assignments** *(12:01p.m. to 12:05 p.m.)*

The Chair assigned the following Task Force members to work on particular matters. These work assignments may include, but are not limited to, Outreach, Media/Communication, Data/Mapping, Budgeting, Board of Supervisors, and Communities of Interest.
Member Mondejar was assigned to be in charge of communications, specifically, outreach to ethnic media.
Member Alonso was assigned to outreach and engage with neighborhood groups outside of the meetings.
Member Pilpel was assigned to work with the consultant in reviewing any data submitted by City Departments.
Member Schreiber was assigned to social media outreach Twitter and Facebook and neighborhood blogs.
Member Lam was assigned to track expenditures associated with the Task Force and the consultant's contract.
Member Tidwell was assigned to provide a schedule of future Task Force meeting dates.
Chair McDonnell will take the lead as the ambassador but will request other members to make presentations to organizations outside of the Task Force meetings.
Member Pilpel requested that the Task Force receive regular updates on budget expenditures.

(Note: The following item was heard out of order.)

5. **Mapping** *(11:23 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.)*

Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research and Jaime Clark provided an overview and examples of the mapping software to look at maps, learn the impact of moving lines, and begin to explore possible new district lines.

Public Comment:
John Bardis requested to view the entire map to see District 5 and how it currently relates to compactness as compared to other districts. He was very impressed in the software being used in the redistricting process.
Paul Hogarth, Tenderloin Housing Clinic, indicated that in order to get meaningful public participation in the redistricting process the public should have access to the software being used.
Olga Milan-Howells, College Hill Association, requested information relating to the progression and analysis to be used during the redistricting process in order to have a fair and democratic outcome.
Chris Bowman, past Task Force member, asked whether a 5-year sliding average was used and is that down to the census block or tract level? Karin Mac Donald, consultant, indicated that the statewide database computed it down to the block level.
Mr. Bowman reviewed with the Task Force members how the districts were defined and created in the 1995 redistricting process.

RECESS
The Task Force recessed at 12:05 p.m. and reconvened at 12:12 p.m.

6. **Community Outreach** *(12:12 p.m. to 12:25 p.m.)*

The Task Force discussed community meetings and other outreach activities.
Chair McDonnell explained that member Tidwell will be providing a calendar of future meeting dates to include outreach in the community and asked if other members had any information to consider in the scheduling of off site meetings.
Member Pilpel reviewed the current schedule of Task Force meetings and requested that a schedule be prepared for Task Force members and the public.
Member Melara expressed concern relating to Board of Supervisors outreach in the redistricting process.
Member Lam requested that the Board of Supervisors provide a list of their community groups to assist Member Alonso with outreach.

Public Comment:
Chris Bowman requested that broader outreach be provided to those neighborhoods which were most affected by the previous mapping in 2000 including the Portola District, North Inner Mission, Hayes Valley, Inner Sunset, Potrero Hill, Sea Cliff, and Russian Hill.

7. **Task Force Member Reports** *(12:25 p.m. to 12:28 p.m.)*

Members reported on discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.
Member Pilpel reported that the BART Board would be reviewing draft of district maps on Tuesday, November 22, 2011.
Member Schreiber reported that he was preparing a list of neighborhood blogs.
Chair McDonnell reported that City Departments had received correspondence requesting that data relating to redistricting be provided to Task Force members. The Chamber of Commerce has requested that a presentation be made to them.
Kay Gulbengay, Clerk, informed Task Force members that the Task Force Overview, a schedule of meetings through of 12/7/11, and with a cover letter had been sent to the Department of Elections outreach list by the Department of Elections.

Public Comment: None

8. Public Comment: *(12:29 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.)*

None

9. Future Agenda Items *(12:30 p.m. to 12:34 p.m.)*

Member Melara requested that the City Attorney provide an answer to the legality of moving Treasure Island. from District 6 to District 3.

10. Adjournment

There being no further business, the Task Force adjourned at the hour of 12:35 p.m.

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San Francisco, CA 94112
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Special Meeting

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
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7. **Report from Legal Counsel** (Discussion) The Deputy City Attorney will provide legal updates and/or respond to questions posed by the Task Force at prior meetings.

8. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of November 15, 2011** (Discussion and possible action) *[attachment: Draft Minutes]*

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10. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

11. **Adjournment**

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Wednesday, November 30, 2011 – 6:00 PM

Special Meeting

Members: Eric McDonnell, Chair, Jenny Lam, Vice Chair, Member Mike Alonso, Member Mylong Leigh, Member Sonia Melara, Member Marily Mondejar. Member David Pilpel, Member Mark Schreiber, Member Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** *(6:18 p.m. - 6:19 p.m.)*

The meeting was called to order at 6:18 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Tidwell was noted absent.

Member Pipel, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to excuse Member Tidwell. The motion passed without objection.

2. **Introduction to Redistricting** *(6.24 p.m. to 7:40 p.m.)*

Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, presented a slide presentation of the redistricting process. Chair McDonnell asked the public for questions relating to the redistricting process.

Public Comment:
Supervisor John Avalos expressed gratitude to the Task Force members for their service to the City. Supervisor Avalos reviewed with the Task Force Members various neighborhoods within District 11. He requested that the most southeastern part of District 11, which is currently in District 10, be moved into District 11 due to the closer association with the Crocker Amazon neighborhood. He stated that access to this area is closer to District 11.
Edna James, President, OMI Community Action Organization, stated that her neighbors are concerned about public housing on Ocean Avenue and Capitol Avenue. She requested that the Ocean View Merced Park Heights area be moved into District 7, as it is mostly a single-family area. She also hoped that the schools in the area be kept together. She indicated that there is concern about the proposed Park Merced project.
David Hooper, President of New Mission Terrace Improvement Association, is in support of affordable housing. He requested that Balboa Park be moved into District 11. He also requested that Ingleside Police Station, currently in District 7, be moved into District 11. He

would like to see the greater Crocker Amazon area reunited with District 11, and maintain the community of interest with Ocean Avenue.
Linda Litehiser, Friends of McLaren Park, requested that McLaren Park be divided to reflect areas of different interests.
Chris Bowman, Past Task Force member, agreed with the proposal to reunite the Crocker Amazon area into District 11. He reviewed with Task Force members the decision to divide this area in 1995 and stated that they could not split census blocks at that time.
The Portola District was divided into Districts 10 and 11 in the 1995 redistricting process. He suggested that cohesiveness of voter turnout should be a factor in the redistricting process.
Mary Harris, President, OMI Neighbors in Action and District 11 Council, does not want Merced Heights to be moved to District 7 and suggested moving more of the area of District 11, closest to the outer perimeters to District 7, to District 7 and keeping all associations intact. She said having two Supervisors on the Ocean Avenue corridor has been helpful. She hopes that in the redistricting process Holloway will remain in District 11.
Member Melara asked for suggestions on how to redistrict District 11 to reflect losing approximately 7000 people. Members of the public shared the following suggestions with the Task Force: moving the area known as Eagle's Beak to Sickles Avenue down to Mission Street to District 11; moving the area of Miramar from to Holloway to Ashton Avenue to District 7; moving the area North of Silver Avenue and East Mission to another District, and moving the area from Peru and Avalon and Ina Way to District 11.
Member Leigh inquired if it is legal to draw boundaries so that a community of interest is represented by two Supervisors if that is the community's preference.
Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee indicated that the Charter states that district lines should reflect communities of interest and is not more specific than that. A community of interest could be reflected in more than one district, if is the community's preference.
Karin Mac Donald, Consultant, stated that if testimony from a community of interest indicates that having two Supervisors is the best representation for the community of interest then this should be taken into consideration in the redistricting process by the Task Force.

3. **Presentation by Past Task Force Members** *(6:19 p.m. to 6:24 p.m.)*

Quentin Mecke, past Task Force member shared with Task Force members his experience while serving on the Task Force in 2002. He encouraged Task Force members to use existing outreach resources from the City and County of San Francisco but not to rely solely on the City for outreach. In order to include broad public participation in the redistricting process it will be imperative to provide extensive and creative outreach through social media. He indicated that having the Consultant create draft maps to provide to the public does generate the public's interest.

Public Comment: None

4. **Mapping** *(7:40 p.m. to 8:37 p.m.)*

Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, and Tamina Alon provided an overview and examples of the mapping software to look at maps, learn the impact of moving lines, and begin to explore possible new district lines. Task Force members invited the public to provide examples of areas to be relocated

within District 11 by indicating changes on a projected map and having the consultant make changes using the mapping software.

Public Comment:
May Wong, Excelsior District, disagreed with losing north of Silver Avenue and suggested this area go to District 11.
Chris Bowman stated that the area south of Highway 280 over to Sickles was discussed in prior redistricting and was kept area in District 11 because it would split the Filipino community; the area north of Silver could be restored to District 11, agreed with putting all of Holloway in District 7, and moving Balboa Park to District 11.
Al Perez, Entertainment Commission, Member and a resident of District 11 disagreed with the moving the area as described by the previous speaker.
Claire Zvanski suggested moving Balboa Park to District 11; bringing Crocker Amazon area to District 11; reclaiming Ney Street neighborhood in District 11, and not moving Merced Heights from District 11.
Marlene Tran, Visitacion Valley Asian Alliance, thanked the Task Force for having translators available for the meeting but expressed concern that the agenda did not provide information in other languages. She emphasized the need for outreach through ethnic media.
Al Harris, Ocean Avenue Revitalization Committee, stated that having two Supervisors was very beneficial in the Community Benefit District process. He was against moving the area of Holloway to District 7.
Member Pilpel responded to comments relating to the division of the parks and stated that throughout this process there will be differing points of view and that Task Force members will need to take all this information into consideration.
Member Schreiber noted that much of the redistricting process would be driven by the extensive changes which need to be made to District 6. These changes will affect the entire redistricting of the City and the Task Force needs to keep this in mind as they draw lines.
He asked the consultant whether there are officially designated Voting Rights Act, Section 2 communities already. Ms. MacDonald indicated that they were in the process of doing a racially polarized voting analysis and will bring this information to the Task Force.

Member Pilpel is preparing maps with different scenarios and alternative deviations.

Consultant Assignments:
The Consultant was asked to provide conceptual options to balance district populations based on existing neighborhood information and public testimony.

Member Lam requested if the consultant could provide a sample of mapping suggestions made at the November 15, 2011 meeting for Districts 1, 2, and 5.
Member Leigh requested a sample mapping of District 5 in relation to the comments made to the compactness of District 5.
Member Pilpel requested to review the Parnassus, UCSF, and Willard area mentioned at the November 15, 2011 meeting.
These requests will be made in real time during mapping presentations.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 8:37 p.m. and reconvened at 8:50 p.m.

5. **Community Outreach** *(8:50 p.m. to 9:13 p.m.)*

The Task Force discussed the scheduling of future community meetings and other outreach activities.
Member Mondejar, seconded by Member Melara, moved to approve the following future outreach special meeting schedule: Monday, January 9, 2012 at 6:00 p.m., Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 10 a.m., Thursday, January 26, 2012 at 6:00 p.m., and canceling the Task Force's regular meeting of Friday, January 20, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. Sites for these meetings will be determined at a later date.

Public Comment: None

Motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 7 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber
No: 1 - Pilpel
Excused: 1 – Tidwell

6. **Task Force Member Reports** *(9:14 p.m. to 9:23 p.m.)*

Members reported on discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.
Member Alonso reported that he had been in contact with the staff of Supervisor Carmen Chu and Supervisor John Avalos and has contacted the Visitacion Valley and Potereo Hill Boosters.
Member Leigh reported that he had been invited to give a informational presentation to the Building, Owners and Managers Association (BOMA). He informed Chair McDonnell and will be making the presentation on December 20, 2011 at noon.
Member Lam reported that she would be doing outreach to the Chinatown Self Sufficiency Coalition. She will let the Task Force members know if she is requested to make a presentation.
Member Mondejar reported that she is beginning to do outreach through ethnic media. She requested any additional outreach lists that might be available from other task force members or the Department of Elections. She also is looking into doing a press release.
Member Pilpel reported that he had made a presentation to the West of Twin Peaks Central Council, and for informational purposes the BART Board is scheduled to adopt its redistricting lines on December 1, 2011.
Member Schreiber reported that he had created Facebook and Twitter accounts. He has identified 43 neighborhood blogs. He is researching the use of a software program called District Builder which would be made available to the public and allow them to draw and move lines as utilized by the consultant. He will continue to research the use of this tool for the public.
Chair McDonnell reported that has been invited to make an informational presentation to the Public Policy Committee of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce sometime in January. He has been contacted by a coalition of neighborhood representing African Americans, Polynesian and Asian Pacific Islanders communities in Districts 10, 11, and 7. They have asked him to make an information presentation, but no date has been determined.
Member Pilpel requested that the Task Force members receive a report on budget expenditures. He requested that the consultant or staff remain for the entire meeting.

Member Lam responded she is collecting costs and will provide monthly updates on the budget and expenditures. She indicated that this would be a future agenda item for either the December 7 or December 16 meeting. She informed the members that the outreach budget was for only 11 off-site meetings, and that they will need to decide to stay within the budget or request additional funding from the City.

Public Comment: None

7. **Report from Legal Counsel** *(9:24 p.m. to 9:31 p.m.)*

Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee answered questions that were raised by Task Force members relating to the final deadline for the completion of the redistricting. She informed the Task Force members that the Charter language specifies that the final deadline for the completion of redistricting is before April 15, 2012, which means that the redistricting must be completed by the end of the day on April 14, 2012. She also informed the Task Force members that there is no legal requirement that Treasure Island be connected to the rest of its district by a bridge rather than by water. From a legal perspective the Task Force could consider moving Treasure Island to a district other than District 6, but it should be able to explain why it viewed Treasure Island as contiguous to that other district. The bridge connection is an obvious reason but the Task Force could also consider other factors such as physical proximity or ferry service. When the State Citizens Redistricting Commission faced a similar question with Coronado Island it decided to keep territory within districts connected by bridges—rather than water—where possible. So Coronado was part of the mainland district at the other end of the Coronado
bridge connector rather than another district with only a water connection.

Public Comment:
Edna James inquired as to whether or not the proposed Park Merced project will be taken into consideration by the task force in the redistricting process.

Mary Harris informed the task force members that Treasure Island was originally in in District 11 and she would not like to see Treasure Island returned to District 11.

8. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of November 15, 2011** *(9:31 p.m. to 9:37 p.m.)*

Member Melara requested the following changes be made to her task force report to indicate "that she had also sent emails confirming the December 7, 2011 special meeting at Horace Mann", and Member Mondejar asked for clarification of the language "hearing held". Member Pilpel requested that this matter be continued so that he might have more time to review the minutes.
Member Mondejor, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to approve the minutes as corrected.

Public Comment: None

Motion was passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 5 - Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar
No: 3 - Alonso, Pilpel. Schreiber
Excused: 1 - Tidwell

9. Public Comment *(9:37 p.m. to 9:38 p.m.)*

None

10. Future Agenda Items *(9:39 p.m. to 9:41 p.m.)*

Chair McDonnell indicated that future agendas would include the mapping item and regular standing items such as Task Force Member Reports, Community Outreach, Presentation by Past Task Force Members, and when the Deputy City Attorney is ready Reports from Legal Counsel.
Member Lam requested a budget item and a separate item on the use of technology as an outreach tool for the public.
Member Mondejar requested that the task force assignments be a part of the task force member's reports. The Chair indicated that Task Force members should inform him if their report is an informational item or an action item so that it might be reflected as such on the agenda.
Member Pilpel suggested that the description of task force member reports on the agenda include language to include task force members' reports on their assignments.

11. Adjournment

There being no further business, the Task Force adjourned at the hour of 9:42 p.m.

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4. **Mapping** (Discussion and possible action) The Redistricting Consultant will present conceptual maps based on direction provided by the Task Force at its November 30, 2011 meeting. The Task Force will continue to discuss possible changes to district lines and create or edit draft maps reflecting those changes.

5. **Public Access to Technology** (Discussion) The Task Force will discuss options for making redistricting technology available to members of the public.

6. **Community Outreach** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss, and possibly vote upon, the schedule for future community outreach meetings.

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Wednesday, December 7, 2011– 6:00 P.M.

Special Meeting

Members: Eric McDonnell, Chair, Jenny Lam, Vice Chair, Member Mike Alonso, Member Myong Leigh, Member Sonia Melara, Member Marily Mondejar, Member David Pilpel, Member Mark Schreiber, Member Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** (6:12 p.m. to 6:14 p.m.)
   The meeting was called to order at 6:12 p.m. All members were noted present. Chair McDonnell announced that the agenda had been posted in all other required locations, however, the agenda was not posted as required on the Task Force's website, therefore, all action items would be continued to the December 16, 2011 meeting.

2. **Introduction to Redistricting** (6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.)
   Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research, made a presentation about the redistricting process. Chair McDonnell invited the public to ask questions relating to the redistricting process.
   Public Comment:
   Ace Washington expressed concern about the number of African-Americans leaving San Francisco and discussed the need to ensure that this community remains in the City.
   Espanola Jackson asked about the effect of redrawing lines between District 9 and District 10. She also stated that Bayview-Hunters Point is a community of interest, separated from the rest of the City by freeways and the Bay, and has been since the 1950's.
   Joshua Arce stated that the area around 24th and Harrison is a community of interest within the Mission District. He also requested that the boundaries of District 9 extend all the way north to Highway 101 because every part of the Mission is bound together, shares a history, and should all be in District 9.

Larry Del Carlo, Executive Director of Mission Housing Development Corporation, encouraged Task Force members to become familiar with lines which were previously drawn. He stated that in 1978 the Mission District boundaries were: Church Street to the west; Potrero Avenue to the east, the freeway to the north, and 30th Street to the south. He would like to see the Mission District reunited to include the boundaries as suggested by the previous speaker. He will work with other Mission District neighborhood organizations, coalitions, and associations to provide more input to the Task Force.
Mario Paz, Executive Director of the Good Samaritan Resource Center, also supported reuniting the northern part of the Mission District with District 9. He stated that there is a strong community within the Mission District and that there is a need to keep the district whole.
Otto Duffy, District 6 resident, stated that he was interested in incorporating the North of Market/Tenderloin Neighborhood all within the same Supervisorial District, presumably District 6.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Elections Task Force, provided the members with a map that highlights (using 2010 census data) census tracts with same-sex households and stated that the LGBT community is a community of interest and should not be divided. He indicated that many LGBT residents live not only in the Castro area but also in Bernal Heights, Potrero Hill, and the West of Twin Peaks area. He also stated that District 11 has the highest concentration of Filipino-Americans in the City and he hopes that Task Force members will take this into consideration when redrawing district lines.
Joe Boss would like the public to have access to the software used by the Task Force's redistricting consultant and would like Potrero Hill to remain in District 10. He stated that Potrero Hill residents share common neighborhood issues with residents of the Bayview such as the Mirant power plant.

3. **Presentation by Past Task Force Members** (7:15 p.m.)
There were no past Task Force member presentations made.
Public Comment: None

4. **Mapping** (7:16 p.m. 8:25 p.m.)
Karin Mac Donald, Project Manager and Senior Redistricting Consultant for Q2 Data & Research and Jaime Clark presented conceptual maps based on direction provided by the Task Force at its November 30, 2011 meeting. The Task Force discussed possible changes to district lines. The consultant provided an overview, began to explore possible new district lines, and also discussed potential Voting Rights Act issues with the Task Force.
Public Comment:
Russell Morine, Visitacion Valley resident, opposes any division of Visitacion Valley. He stated that Little Hollywood is a part of Visitacion Valley, not Bayview-Hunters Point. He also stated that the Asian-American population is not just the Chinese-American community, but includes Filipinos, Japanese, and Vietnamese and is a large and diverse group. He stated that the Task Force

should take these different Asian-American groups into consideration when redrawing the district lines.

Tony Kelly, President of the Potrero Boosters Neighborhood Association, stated that his group's bylaws recognize the northern side of District 10's boundaries as the boundaries of Potrero Hill. He also noted that the maps' division of 18th Street through Potrero Hill should be removed; 18th Street is the commercial center of Portero Hill and the proposed boundary would split adjoining businesses into different districts. He stated that the Task Force should also review how many precincts would change in various mapping scenarios.

Judy Berkowitz, President of the Coalition of San Francisco Neighborhoods and a member of the East Mission Improvement Association, stated that one of the current district maps of District 9 had cut Portola off from their closest communities of interest to the immediate south. She also noted that the freeways are the obvious cut-off for District 9. The boundary between the eastern side of District 9 and the western side of 10 should be around Highway 101 and hospital curve. She also recommended that San Francisco General Hospital be included in District 9.

Chris Jackson, Member of the Community College District Board of Trustees and Executive Director of the Visitacion Valley Community Center, stated that Visitacion Valley needs to remain whole. He stated that District 10 is a working class area and is hopeful that this neighborhood remains whole because of its socio-economics.

Dennis Mosgofian, District 5 resident, expressed concern relating to the criteria being used to create the conceptual maps and the process. He also recommended that the Task Force focus on more realistic projections rather than visualizations.

Marlene Tran, a member of the Visitacion Valley Asian Voters' Alliance, stated that there needs to be more outreach through the ethnic media and suggested using Channel 26 or ethnic newspapers for greater outreach. She also requested that District 11 remain whole and that Visitacion Valley remain in District 10.

Chris Bowman expressed concern with the visualization maps. He recommended that the Task Force create a sixth conceptual map based on neighborhood boundaries. He stated that the Portola District should be in District 10 and Potrero Hill should be part of either District 6 or 9. He also stated that the Task Force should not divide either Potrero Hill along 25th Street due to the public housing in that area or the Mission along 24th Street.

Lupe Melaria expressed concern that Bernal Heights was not in District 9 on one of the conceptual maps and requested that it stay in District 9. She also requested that District 9 not be split along either 18th or 20th Streets but extend north to either 16th or 14th Street. That area has a large population which identifies with District 9 rather than District 6. She also recommended that the Task Force consider the SROs in the area.

Otto Duffy supported the second visualization's proposed District 6. He stated that the proposed boundary between District 6 and District 9 was a good solution to keep the Civic Center area in one district.

An anonymous female speaker stated that the Task Force should not divide Bernal

Heights from District 9. There are many non-profit organizations which have been a unifying force between Bernal Heights and the Mission.
Oscar Grande, Community Organizer in the Mission and resident of the Excelsior, expressed concern about the outreach process for the meetings. He also requested that the Task Force keep the northeast area of the Mission District in District 9 and that the Task Force not divide Bernal Heights from the Mission. There are too many commonalities between communities of interest in these neighborhoods.
Lawrence Lee requested that the Lower Haight commercial district remain in one supervisorial district and not be divided. He suggested that the Lower Haight commercial district is more closely aligned with the Western Addition.
District 9 Supervisor David Campos thanked the members of the Task Force for their efforts and their willingness to volunteer their time for the City's redistricting process.

Recess

The Task Force recessed at 8:25 p.m. and reconvened at 8:35 p.m.

5. **Public Access to Technology** (8:35 p.m. to 8:55 p.m.)
The Task Force discussed options for making redistricting technology available to the public. Member Alonso has been preparing a draft proposal for public terminals throughout the City with redistricting software available for use.
The proposal would also seek to recruit local non-profit organizations, train them on how to use the technology, and make the public terminals available at their offices. He is putting together a list of potential non-profit organizations and will provide more information at the December 16, 2011 meeting.
Member Schreiber has been exploring District Builder software as a technology option and has asked the company for a proposal for San Francisco's use.
Karin Mac Donald, Consultant, has had discussions with the Advancement Project in Los Angeles. She has sent them data for beta-testing. Their software could be made available to San Francisco at no cost. They may also have some resources available for client support and phone support for users. This program would allow the public to draw proposed lines and submit them to the Task Force for consideration.
The Task Force discussed time-lines and costs which may be associated with the of the technology options.
Public Comment:
Tony Kelly, President of the Potrero Boosters Neighborhood Association, suggested telephone surveys and greater outreach in areas of the City that would be most affected by revisions to district lines.
Otto Duffy supported lobbying for funding so that the technology could be made available to the public.

6. **Community Outreach** (8:55 to 8:59 p.m.)
The Task Force discussed scheduling of future community meetings and other outreach activities. Chair McDonnell reviewed the approved meeting dates for

January community outreach. Chair McDonnell reviewed with the Task Force the proposed February schedule but these dates will be considered for approval at the December 16, 2011 meeting.

7. **Task Force Member Reports** (9:14 p.m. to 9:23 p.m.)
Members reported on discussions with the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work.
Member Alonso reported that he had been in contact with the Potrero Boosters Neighborhood Association.
Member Pilpel reported that the BART Board did adopt their final district lines. He also reported that he has prepared different maps with various scenarios and wants to provide these to Task Force members.
Member Schreiber reported that he has created a Facebook, Twitter, and You Tube pages for the public to view the power point presentation prepared by the consultant.
Public Comment: None

8. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of November 19, 2011**. (9:02 p.m. to 9:03 p.m.)
This matter was continued to the December 16, 2011 meeting.

9. **Public Comment.** (9:07 p.m. to 9:10 p.m.)
Chris Bowman inquired as to when a community group should submit a city-wide plan to the Task Force and what is the criteria for submitting the information. He also asked the Task Force to make more data available, so that more complete maps can be submitted by members of the public. He inquired if the visualizations provided by the consultant took the 5% population variance authorized by the Charter into consideration. He stated that he did not support efforts to force narrow population deviations between districts that would divide neighborhoods.
Otto Duffy stated that he thought that the Task Force should be strict about population deviation between districts because the census data it is using is already over a year old.

10. **Future Agenda Items** (9:03 p.m. to 9:06 p.m.)
Member Alonso inquired if there is a set of criteria for public submissions of proposed redistricting plans. Chair McDonnell stated that he would review that issue with the consultant.
Member Lam requested that the Task Force discuss a specific comprehensive plan regarding community outreach that includes funding, technology, telephone surveys, and media.
Member Melara suggested that the Task Force may want to approach the Board of Supervisors to see if there might be funds available to support Task Force's work.
Member Pilpel requested that the Task Force add a future agenda item regarding the time-line for requesting additional funds from the Board of Supervisors.
Member Schreiber informed the other Task Force that the 2002 Redistricting Task

Force did have criteria for the submission of publicly drawn redistricting lines. He requested that the Task Force approve such criteria and make it available on the website.

11. Adjournment.
The meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

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Friday, December 16, 2011 - 3:00 p.m.
City Hall, Room 416

Regular Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

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2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of November 19, 2011, and November 30, 2011**
(Discussion and possible action)
[attachments: Draft Minutes]

3. **Community Outreach** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will develop specific outreach strategies, including but not limited to discussion and possible action regarding the estimated costs to implement these strategies.

4. **Task Force Budget Update** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss current expenses against budget, including but not limited to discussion and possible action regarding the process for requesting additional funding.

5. **Mapping** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss and possibly act upon requests for the Consultant to prepare additional visualizations. The Task Force will also discuss and possibly act upon criteria, process, and timing for individual Task Force members to present draft maps. The Task Force will continue to discuss possible changes to district lines and may create or edit draft maps reflecting those changes.

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7. **Public Comment:** Members of the public may address the Redistricting Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

8. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

9. **Adjournment**
   Next scheduled Meeting: Wednesday, January 4, 2012 at 6:00 p.m.
   Room 406, City Hall
   1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
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Friday, December 16, 2011 – 3:00 P.M.

Regular Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** *(3:06 p.m. to 3:08 p.m.)*
   The meeting was called to order at 3:06 p.m. All members were present.

2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of November 19, 2011** *(3:09 to 3:11 p.m.)*
   Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to approve the November 19, 2011 and November 30, 2011 minutes as corrected. The Motion was passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

3. **Community Outreach** *(3:11 p.m. to 3:28 p.m.)*
   The Task Force discussed the scheduling of future community meetings and other outreach activities. Chair McDonnell reviewed the community outreach approved meeting dates for January 2012. Chair McDonnell reviewed with Task Force the proposed February, March, through April 4, 2012.
   Public Comment:
   Ace Washington requested the Task Force to provide more outreach through Public Access Channel 29 television and radio. He also requested that more outreach be provided to the African American community.
   Chair McDonnell reopened consideration of Item 3 at 6:00 p.m.
   Meetings were proposed for the following dates:
   Wednesday, January 4, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Regular Meeting – City Hall
   Monday, January 9, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 11
   Saturday, January 21, 2012, 10:00 a.m. – Special Meeting – District 6
   Thursday, January 26, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 10
   Wednesday, February 1, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 9
   Monday, February 6, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 2

Saturday, February 11, 2012, 2:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 1
Friday, February 17, 2012, 3:00 p.m. – Regular Meeting – City Hall
Thursday, February 23, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 3
Thursday, March 1, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 8
Wednesday, March 7, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Regular Meeting – City Hall
Monday, March 12, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 7
Saturday, March 17, 2012, 10:00 a.m. – Special Meeting – District 5
Thursday, March 22, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – District 4
Thursday, March 29, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Special Meeting – City Hall
Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – Regular Meeting – City Hall
The regular meeting scheduled for March 16, 2012, would be canceled.
The deadline for public submission of maps is Thursday, March 29, 2012.
The motion was amended to change the February 11th meeting time to 2:00 p.m. rather than 10:00 a.m.
Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to cancel the March 16, 2011, meeting.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, divided the question concerning the March 17, 2012, special meeting.
Member Leigh pointed out that March 17th was the date of the St Patrick's Day parade.
The above motions were adopted without objection, with Member Melara absent.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to set 6:00 p.m., Thursday, March 29, 2012, as the deadline for submission of map from the public.
The motion was adopted without objection, with Member Melara absent.

Public Comment:
Chris Bowman stated that there should be a minimum of 12 copies of maps and electronic submissions.

4. **Task Force Budget Update** *(3:28 to 3:44 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed current expenditures associated with the Task Force. The Task Force discussed options for obtaining additional funding for the Task Force.
Public Comment: None

5. **Mapping** *(3:45 p.m. to 6:25 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed how the Consultant would prepare additional visualizations. The Task Force discussed the criteria, process, and timing for individual Task Force members to present draft maps. The Task Force will continue to discuss possible changes to district lines and may create or edit draft maps reflecting those changes.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 5:10 p.m. and reconvened at 5:26 p.m.

Public Comment:
Ace Washington stated that he was not receiving information about District 5. He also expressed concern about African-American out-migration
Denise LaPointe, Twin Peaks Improvement Association, felt that little change was needed in District 7.
George Wooding, West of Twin Peaks Central Council., indicated that the West of Twin Peaks Central Council represents 20 neighborhoods. He agrees with the points previous speaker Denise LaPointe made. He also indicated that a lack of consensus now is a good thing.
Matt Chamberlin, President, West of Twin Peaks Central Council, stated that District 7 is well defined. He indicated that maps will be delivered to the Task Force this evening and sent electronically. Mr. Chamberlin does not want changes to District 7.
Gus Guibert in the West of Twin Peaks area. He feels that the Redistricting Task Force did a great job last time.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, would like the integrity of District 7 maintained.
Angela Mayham, District 11 resident, is in sympathy with District 7. She expressed concerns regarding redistricting in District 11 and provided suggestions.

Note: Member Melara was noted absent at 6:26 p.m.

6. **Task Force Member Reports** *(6:26 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.)*
Member Mondejar reported that she has started an ethnic media list.
Public Comment:
Ace Washington stated that at the next meeting he wants more information about District 5. He stated that he is sure that from District 3 also want more information.

7. **Public Comment:** *(6:45 p.m. to 6:50 p.m.)*
F. X. Crowley stated that he was here from District 7 and wanted to keep the district whole.
Chris Bowman stated that there were comments at the Balboa High School hearing about reuniting a portion of the Crocker Amazon area. He will submit maps and copies. He added that there was an error with the original drafting 9 years ago in Census Block 3000 of 6302.
A female speaker spoke regarding the issue of keeping Bernal Heights in District 9. She felt that equal weight should be given to those in dense rental projects.

8. **Future Agenda Items** *(6:50 p.m. – 6:53 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell wanted to continue item about mapping.
Member Pilpel wanted to include community outreach and a review of meetings we have had.
Member Schreiber wanted to include updating work with the consultant and updating the website with information from the last Redistricting Task Force.
Member Tidwell stated that it would be helpful to use some of the Elections Department's map data as an overlay.

Member Pilpel stated that we would need another iteration of the Task Force's overlay. If maps become available prior to the next meeting, he asked that they posted on the Redistricting Task Force's on website.
Public Comment: Denise LaPointe, Twin Peaks Improvement Association, suggested using radio ads.

9. **Adjournment**
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:53 p.m.

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2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of December 7, 2011** (Discussion and possible action) *[attachment: Draft Minutes]*

3. **Mapping** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will review the visualizations it had requested from the Consultant, and will discuss and possibly approve working draft maps to be presented at subsequent meetings.

4. **Task Force Budget Update** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will discuss and review current budget and expenses, including discussion and possible action regarding funding from foundations.

5. **Community Outreach** (Discussion) The Task Force will discuss and evaluate past outreach activities and efforts, and will identify opportunities for improvement.

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9. **Adjournment**

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Hearing Room 406
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Wednesday, January 4, 2012 – 6:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Eric McDonnell, Chair, Jenny Lam, Vice Chair, Member Mike Alonso, Member Myong Leigh, Member Sonia Melara, Member Marily Mondejar, Member David Pilpel, Member Mark Schreiber, Member Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** *(6:10 p.m. - 6:11 p.m.)*
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2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of December 7, 2011** *(6:11 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.)*
   Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to approve the December 7, 2012 minutes with corrections.
   Public Comment:
   Judy Berkowitz, Coalition for SF Neighborhoods/East Mission Improvement Association, provided additional corrections to the minutes.
   Motion to approve the December 7, 2012 minutes, with corrections, passed without objection.

3. **Mapping** *(6:15 p.m. - 8:55 p.m.)*
   The Task Force reviewed the visualization maps it had requested the consultant to prepare. The Task Force created a draft working map to be used at future meetings.
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   Frank Cannata, Middle Polk Neighborhood Association, requested to move Polk Street Corridor area (Van Ness Avenue to Hyde Street and Union Street to Geary Street) back into District 3 as shown on #7 visualization map. He stated that if the Polk Street corridor is divided, it will make it more difficult to keep the Polk Street corridor a vibrant corridor.
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Joe Boss requested that Potrero Hill area and Bayview area not be divided. He urged the Task Force to keep Sunnyvale in District 10 and noted that most housing units to be built in the City are in District 10. He stated there is a need to keep the Portola district united.
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The Task Force recessed at 8:45 p.m. and reconvened at 8:55 p.m.

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Public Comment: None

5. **Community Outreach** *(9:09 p.m. – 9:26 p.m.)*
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Public Comment: None

9. **Adjournment**
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Date: **Monday, January 9, 2012**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Minnie & Lovie Ward Recreation Center**
650 Capitol Avenue, San Francisco, CA

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Kay Gulbengay
Redistricting Task Force Clerk

DATED/POSTED: December 22, 2011

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Special Meeting

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9. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

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Tuesday, January 9, 2012 – 6:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Member Alonso, Member Myong Leigh, Member Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

Call to Order and Roll Call *(6:12 p.m. to 6:13 p.m.)*
The meeting was called to order at 6:10 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Leigh was initially noted absent. Member Leigh was noted present at 6:12 p.m.

Presentation by the Advancement Project *(6:13 p.m. to 6:36 p.m.)* John Kim, representative of The Advancement Project made a presentation to the Task Force members regarding the ReDrawSF.org map drawing software that allow members of the public to review maps developed by the Task Force and submit their own draft maps. ReDrawSF.org will also provide training to members of the community at upcoming trainings and webinars.
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman expressed his enthusiasm for ReDrawSF.org.
A male speaker inquired as to whether ReDrawSF.org would allow for the merging of census block information.
A male speaker asked if the public would able to submit proposed changes through the ReDrawSF.org.

Mapping *(6:37 p.m. to 10:15 p.m.)* The Task Force presented the working draft map developed on January 4, 2012 for public input.

Public Comment:
District 11 Supervisor John Avalos thanked the Task Force for their ongoing efforts and acknowledged the difficult task before them. He offered assistance from his staff and from the residents in District 11 to the Task Force. He requested that the OMI (Oceanview-Merced-Ingelside) area remain in District 11. He requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino-American community, which is a large segment of the OMI community, in District 11. He

requested that District 11's current boundaries remain whole or as intact as possible, due to the various communities of interest among the district's current neighborhoods.
Sharon Hewitt, Executive Director of the Clearwater Project located in Visitacion Valley, requested that the Task Force consider redistricting's impact on families and communities in the southeast sector of the City. She noted that OMI is an important neighborhood for the African-American community and requested that the OMI remain a part of the District 11. She also requested that the Task Force no longer divide the Sunnydale and Visitacion Valley neighborhoods between different districts.
Antoine Perry, Inner City Youth, requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 and not move the neighborhood into District 7. OMI shares more common neighborhood issues, like combating crime, with Portola and Excelsior than any neighborhoods in District 7.
District 8 – Supervisor Scott Wiener stated that the current working draft map divides several neighborhoods and LBGT communities of interest.
Supervisor Wiener also requested that the Task Force consider several specific changes to the current working draft map. He stated that the areas he was going to ask the Task Force to keep in District 8 were not areas which he had won during his election as Supervisor. His proposed suggestions were not politically motivated, but were being made to keep communities of interest together. He stated that on the eastern edge of the district, Dolores Street and Valencia Street north of Ceasar Chavez should be moved back into District 8. He stated that the Mission Dolores neighborhood should remain whole in District 8. He stated that all of Bernal Heights area should remain in District 9, and should not be split between Districts 8 and 9.He stated that in the northeastern section of District 8, the LGBT community center and 55 Laguna Street – a site for future LGBT senior housing – should be placed back into District 8. He requested that the Task Force keep the area of north of Waller and east to Octavia Streets currently in District 8 remain in that district. If this area did not remain in District 8, it would divide the LGBT community. He requested that the LGBT Community Center and 55 Laguna Project (which will contain a senior LGBT housing project) in District 8, in order not to divide the LGBT Community of Interest. The northern border starting at Octavia should remain as Waller Street, except that the northern border should jut up to Haight Street for one block in order to encompass the 55 Laguna project. Buena Vista should also remain in District 8, per the current borders. He also requested that the entire Duboce Triangle neighborhood remain in District 8, especially Duboce Park.
George Wooding, West of Twin of Peaks Central Council, requested that all of the neighborhoods included in the West of Twin Peaks Central Council remain in District 7. He stated that these were all similar medium-density neighborhoods, with single-family homes. He also opposed the proposed movement of neighborhoods currently in District 7 to District 8, and the proposal to move the Lakeshore neighborhood into District 7.
Tina Shauf, Filipino Community Center, requested that the Filipino-American community in OMI remain in District 11 and not be divided. She discussed the presence of the Filipino-American community in San Francisco since the 1940s, and the movement of that community from near Chinatown to Districts 6 and 11. She also mentioned that the Filipino-American population in District 11 has decreased, although they still have a common need for the same types of services.
Al Perez, Filipino American Arts Exposition, requested that the Filipino-American community in OMI remain in District 11 and not be divided. He also stated that District 11 has a Filipino-American community of interest.

Anatalio Ubulde, local business owner, requested that the Task Force keep Filipino-American communities together. He stated that District 11 has one of the most concentrated Filipino-American communities.
Michael Pangilinan, Filipino American Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force preserve Filipino-American areas. He stated that Filipino-Americans have little representation in City Hall and the Board of Supervisors.
Lucia Bogatay, Co- President of the Mission Dolores Association, stated that the Mission Dolores area should be in one district, either District 8 or 9, and not be divided. She stated that the area consists of many persons who rent their homes.
Maria Mejia, a Mission Dolores resident, requested that the Task Force to keep the Mission Dolores area whole. She stated that she is a renter, and that the neighborhood should not be divided along Dolores Street.
Richard Magary, Buena Vista Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Buena Vista Park neighborhood in District 8. He stated that there is a community of interest in the area that supports Buena Vista Park. He stated that he would provide the Task Force with an alternative map. He also stated that the Castro Benefit District boundary would be split as shown on the current working draft map.
Peter Lewis, Mission Dolores Association, requested that the Task Force not divide the Mission Dolores neighborhood along Dolores Street.
Jim Stark, Lakeshore Acres Improvement Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Lakeshore neighborhood in District 7 and not move it to District 4. He supported the current boundary between the districts along Sloat Boulevard.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, stated that past Task Forces looked at data concerning unions and drew the boundaries for District 11 because it had a high proportion of union households in neighborhoods such as OMI and Crocker-Amazon. He also stated that the Portola neighborhood should be united and suggested that it be moved to districts to the north (District 9) or east (District 10).
Steven Currier, Outer Mission Merchants and Residents Association, requested that the Task Force keep the OMI neighborhood in District 11.
Tess Walborn, Haight-Ashbury Neighborhood Council, stated that the Task Force should keep the Western Addition neighbor hood in one district. She stated that the neighborhood had common concerns relating to the development of areas previously under the Central Freeway and the bus rapid transit project.
Lindsay Kefaven requested that the Task Force keep the Mission Dolores neighborhood in a single district. She stated that there is a community of interest around Mission Dolores Park.
Helen Bautista, former Public Library Commissioner, requested that the Task Force consider that the presence of the Ingleside Library on Ocean Avenue in that it has many Filipino books and often provides space for community events. She also requested that the Task Force preserve the Filipino-American community in District 11.
Bernadette Sy, Filipino Community Center and Bayihanan Community Center, requested that the Filipino-American community in OMI remain in District 11.
Jeff Rocca, District 11 resident and business owner, requested that OMI remain in District 11. He stated that the OMI neighborhood is one of the last blue-collar neighborhoods left in San Francisco and should remain in District 11.
F.X. Crowley, Lakeshore neighborhood resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Lakeshore and Merced neighborhoods in District 7 and not move them into District 4.
Nancy Crowley, Lakeshore neighborhood resident, also requested that the Task Force keep the Lakeshore and Merced neighborhoods in District 7 and not move them into District 4. She stated

that St. Stephen's church is an anchor for those neighborhoods, and that those neighborhood residents use Muni lines, shopping areas, and parks in District 7 not in District 4.
Allen Melaro, Filipino-American Arts Center, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino-American community intact in District 11.
Jim Wexel, President, Westside Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep the Lakeshore and Merced neighborhoods in District 7 and not move them into District 4.
David Fix, resident of the Duboce Triangle area, requested that the Task Force keep all of the Duboce Triangle neighborhood in one district.
Emile Guzman requested that the Task Force preserve the Filipino-American community in District 11. He stated that OMI neighborhood had several community interests such as this Recreation Center and Balboa High School. He also stated that OMI is a working-class neighborhood like the other neighborhoods in District 11.
A male speaker requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 to keep the last area for blue-collar workers intact in a single district.
Charley Stamas stated that the Task Force should consider how Highway 280 divides neighborhoods. He stated that the Balboa Park BART stop also unites neighborhoods and is the heart of District 11. He also stated that the OMI neighborhood should be in District 11.
Lawrence Lee, Lower Haight Merchants Association, stated the Task Force should keep the Lower Haight together in one district. He stated that the Western Addition should also be in one district. He also supported moving the 55 Laguna Street project back into District 8, due to its connection to the LGBT community.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force not create district boundaries along Valencia Street because the businesses on Valencia Street have common interests. She also stated that the Valencia Neighborhood Association will be meeting soon to submit comments to the Task Force.
Lisa Tennebaum, Liberty Hill Historic and Neighborhood Association, described the Liberty Hill neighborhood as the area north of 20th Street and south of Hill Street. She stated that Liberty Hill shared common concerns with Mission Dolores because they are both historic neighborhood districts and have dealt with similar issues arising from the development of Valencia Street. She also stated that her neighborhood association is debating whether this area should be in District 8 or District 9.
Seth Kilbourne, Open House, stated that the Task Force should consider the LGBT community of interest and requested that the 55 Laguna Street site and the LGBT Community Center remain in District 8. He stated that the Task Force should not split LGBT service providers from the community. He also requested that the area between Waller, Market and Buchanan Streets remain in District 8.
Rebecca Rolfe, LGBT community, requested that the Task Force keep the area around 55 Laguna Street and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Neil Sims, Open House, requested that the Task Force keep the area around 55 Laguna Street and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Mike Brown, Inner City Youth, requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 and not move it into District 7. He stated that the area shares common concerns about crime in the area. He stated that in general, OMI has nothing in common with District 7.
Chelsea Boilard, Coleman Advocates for Children, requested that the Task Force keep the OMI in District 11 along with Excelsior. She stated that both neighborhoods have relatively high concentrations of children.
Kent Bogis, resident of the OMI, resident requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11.
Gus Gilbert requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11. He also stated that the Task Force should place the Lakeshore and Merced Manor neighborhoods in District 7.

Vicky Trasvin requested that the Task Force keep District 11 intact due the presence of labor union households. She stated that the communities in the district shares many of the same churches and has a high number of students.
David Troup, Treasurer of the Duboce Triangle Neighborhood Association, requested that the Duboce Triangle neighborhood not be split between different districts as the draft map proposes. He also stated that the LGBT Community Center and the 55 Laguna Street project should remain in District 8.
Mark Schewer, Duboce Triangle Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Duboce Triangle neighborhood in one district. He stated that Duboce Park is a very important part of the Duboce Triangle itself. He also stated that Duboce Triangle residents share more common interests with District 8 than District 5, especially due to the LGBT community in Duboce.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Organization, informed Task Force members that what they decide might impact San Francisco for the next 10 years. He requested that the Task Force keep the Forest Knolls neighborhood in District 7 and not moved it to District 8. He stated that the neighborhoods west of Twin Peaks Boulevard share common features, such as single-family homes and new young families. They also share common transportation lines and services.
Jim Marks requested that the Task Force keep the Portola neighborhood together in either District 11 or District 10. He stated that the neighborhood shares common issues relating to McLaren Park.
Rob Joyce, resident of District 5, thanked the Task Force for its reunification of the Western Addition and Lower Haight neighborhoods in its working draft map. He also asked that the Task Force consider placing all of the "Wiggle" bicycle route in a single district.
Mara Kopp requested that the Task Force keep the Lakeshore and Merced neighborhoods in District 7 and not move them into District 4. She stated that the neighborhoods had different concerns than those in District 4, and that they had different planning and transportation issues.
David Hooper, President of the New Mission Terrace Association, suggested that the Task Force remove the area between Ocean, Holloway, Ashton, and Harold Avenues to decrease the population currently in District 11.
Mary Harris, OMI, President, Neighbors In Action shared the history of the OMI area with the Task Force. She also stated that she is grateful for Supervisor Avalos and how he understands the needs of the OMI district. She requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 rather than District 7.
Kristine Zaback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Forest Knolls neighborhood in District 7 and not move it to District 8.
Marilyn DeGuzman stated that the residents of OMI have different needs and requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino-American community intact in District 11.
Benjamin Gonzalez requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino-American community intact in District 11 due to similar economic needs.
Juan Zimordin requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 because the current district supervisor has been very supportive of the community.
Dan Weaver stated when with the OMI was previously placed in District 7 in the 1970s, it was difficult for the neighborhood to have its issues addressed in City Hall. He requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11 and move it into District 7. He also stated that the Balboa Park BART station should be the center of District 11.
Judy Berkowitz, Coalition for SF Neighborhoods and East Mission Improvement Association, thanked the Task Force for moving the northern boundary of District 9. She requested that the

Task Force not divide the Portola and Bernal Heights neighborhoods. She reiterated her request to place the eastern boundary of District 9 at the 101, and generally supported using freeways as district boundaries as much as possible.
Chris Bowman offered suggestions for handling of public comment raised questions relating to the Voting Rights Act and moving people in and out of districts, and raised concerns relating to moving current Supervisors out of their districts.
Jim Marks inquired what impact the maps submitted by the public would have on the Task Force's final decision
Glen Van Legh inquired if the Task Force members' assignments for reviewing the public input were available to the public.

Recess

The Task Force recessed at 8:51 p.m. and reconvened at 9:02 p.m.

The Task Force agreed not to make modifications to the working draft map until they had reviewed community input received to date. The Task Force reviewed criteria for submission of draft maps by the public.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to approve the criteria for submission of draft maps by the public as amended. The motion passed without objection.

Community Outreach *(10:15 p.m. to 10:16 p.m.)* The Task Force reviewed current and future outreach activities, including discussion regarding synthesis of community input.
Public Comment: None

Task Force Budget (*10:16 p.m. to 10:17 p.m.)* The Task Force reviewed the current budget and expenditures associated with the Task Force. Chair McDonnell stated that the potential sources for additional funding were still under review.
Public Comment: None

Task Force Member Reports *(10:18 p.m. to 10:20 p.m.)*
Member Mondejar reported that she had distributed press releases to the ethnic media.
Public Comment: None

Public Comment: (*10:20 p.m. to 10:20 p.m.)*
Public Comment: None

Future Agenda Items *(10:21 p.m. to 10:22 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell requested that the Mapping, Community Outreach, Budget and other standard discussion items be included on the next agenda.
Member Lam requested that an item relating to more specific deadlines for the submittal of maps by the public and finalizing the redistricting process be added.
Member Pilpel requested that the January 20, 2012 regular meeting of the Task Force be listed as cancelled on the Task Force's website.
Public Comment: None

Adjournment
The Task Force adjourned at 10:22 p.m.

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of January 4, 2012** (Discussion and possible action) [*attachment: Draft Minutes*]

3. **Mapping** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on January 4, 2012. [*attachment: Working Draft Map 1/04/12*]

4. **Community Outreach** (Discussion) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities.

5. **Task Force Budget** (Discussion and possible action) The Task Force will review the current budget and expenses, including discussion and possible action to seek additional funds.

6. **Voting Rights Act Analysis**

A. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 5.

B. Potential Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION. (Discussion and possible action.)

i. Motion to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. (Action.)

ii. Closed session held pursuant to Brown Act section 54956.9(b) (Cal. Gov. Code §54956.9(b)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.10(d)(2) (S.F. Admin. Code §67.10(d)(2)). Significant exposure to litigation as defendant. Number of potential cases: At least one. (Discussion and possible action.) The closed session discussion will focus on potential legal challenges based on Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1973, to the City's redistricting of supervisorial districts. [Note: If the Task Force chooses not to hold a closed session, it may choose to discuss this item in open session.]

C. Reconvene in open session.

i. Vote regarding disclosure of closed session action and deliberations. (Action.) Vote pursuant to Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(a) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(a)) on whether to disclose any portion of closed session discussion.

ii. Disclosure of action taken (if any) to the extent required by Brown Act section 54957.1(a) (Cal. Gov. Code §54957.1(a)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(b) (S.F. Admin. Code §67.12(b)).

7. **Task Force Member Reports** (Discussion) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

8. **Public Comment:** Members of the public may address the Redistricting Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

9. **Future Agenda Items** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**
Next scheduled Meeting:

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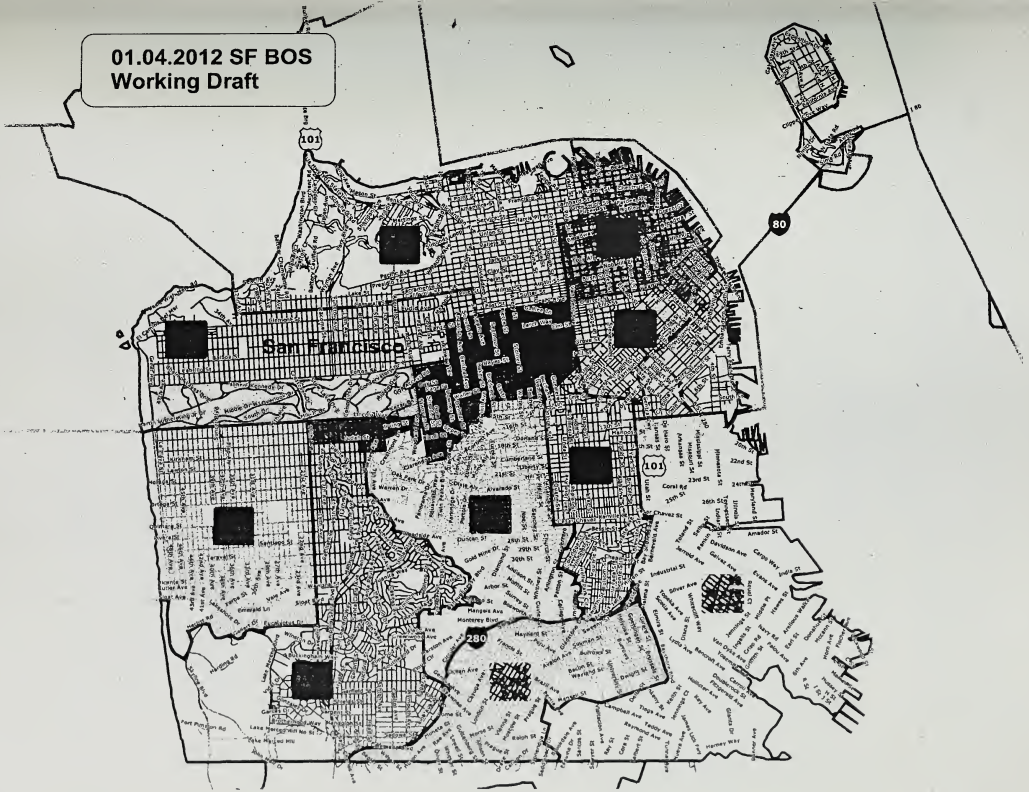

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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell; Vice Chair, Jenny Lam;
Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar,
David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. Call to Order and Roll Call *(10:19 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.)*
The meeting was called to order at 10:19 a.m. On the call of the roll, Member Lam was noted absent. Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to excuse Member Lam. The motion passed without objection.

Note: This item was taken out of order.
2. Approval of RDTF Minutes of January 4, 2012 *(2:25 p.m. to 2:26 p.m.)*
Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to approve the January 4, 2012 minutes with corrections. The motions passed without objection.

Note: This item was taken out of order.
3. Mapping *(10:21 a.m. to 2:21 p.m.)*
The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the January 4, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force did not finalize the changes to the working draft map and agreed to make further modifications to the working draft map as the Task Force receives more public input. The Task Force agreed not to post the changes to the working draft map pending further changes to the working draft map.

Public Comment:
Bernadette Sy, Filipino American Development Foundation and Director, Bayanihan Center, provided a proposed redrawn map of the SoMa area and requested that the Filipino community remain in District 6.
Robin Havens, Valencia/McCoppin Neighborhood Watch, requested that the area of Market/Guerrero to Van Ness /Market to Mission/South Van Ness to Duboce/Misison to Guerrero/Duboce (sometimes called "the Hub") remain in District 6. She noted that this area is a community of interest united by safety concerns.
Veronica requested that the areas area of Market/Guerrero to Van Ness /Market to Mission/South Van Ness to Duboce/Misison to Guerrero/Duboce remain in District 6.

Teresa Dulalas requested that the Filipino community remain in District 6, and stated that the community shares many common interests in part because it has a large number of families with children. She stated that Bessie Carmichael School is a bi-lingual school serving the Filipino community in District 6.
Allan Manalo, Bindlestiff Studio and Filipino American Arts Organization, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Katy Liddell, South Beach, requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay Terminal and the Transbay in District 6.
Susan Parker, McCoppin, Valencia Neighborhood Watch, requested that the area of Market/Guerrero to Van Ness /Market to Mission/South Van Ness to Duboce/Misison to Guerrero/Duboce remain in District 6. She stated that the community shares an interest in public safety issues.
Kevin Stull, employee of the Central City SRO Collaborative, requested the northern boundary of District 6 be Post Street in order to keep SROs in one district as communities of interest.
Tad Bogdan, member of the Board of Directors of The Metropolitan, requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay area and Mission Bay in District 6. The neighborhood has common interests because all the residents are concerned about Bay Bridge traffic and that if the lines were drawn to move these areas out of District 6 he requested that they remain intact in one district.
A male speaker reviewed with the Task Force the history of the Filipino community in San Francisco and requested the Task Force to keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Al Perez, Entertainment Commission member and Filipino American Arts Exhibition, stated that the Filipino community has a rich historical tradition in SoMa and requested that the Filipino community be kept intact in District 6.
Paul Hogarth, Tenderloin Housing Clinic, stated that the current working draft map takes Supervisor Jane Kim out of her district along with the triangle area around McCoppin, Valencia, Duboce, and Guerrero streets. He proposed making the Central Freeway the boundary for District 6. He suggested taking 4 blocks around 16th and Potrero Streets and moving them to District 9 to help reduce the population in District 6. He also requested that the northern boundary of District 6 be Post Street and not south of Geary Street because that would remove three more SROs from their community of interest in District 6.
Corrine Woods, Mission Creek Harbor Association and Mission Bay Citizens Advisory Committee, requested that the Task Force to keep the Mission Bay area intact. The Board of the Mission Creek Harbors had voted to keep the Mission Bay intact. She indicated that 10 years ago, during the last redistricting process, the area was not very populated and that now if lines were drawn at 16th Street they would divide the UCSF Mission Bay campus. She stated her preference that the South Beach and Rincon Hill neighborhoods be in District 6 these neighborhoods have more in common with the Mission Bay and Transbay areas than they do with north of Market area. These neighborhoods are growing, working out safety and traffic issues, and share more with SoMa than with the north of Market area.
Karen Johnson requested area of Market/Guerrero to Van Ness /Market to Mission/South Van Ness to Duboce/Misison to Guerrero/Duboce remains in District 6. She stated that the McCoppin-Valencia area works together as a neighborhood.
Weyman Jones, Member of the San Francisco Manila Sister City Committee and Chair, American Filipino Commission, stated that one of the Commission's concerns is Section 2 of the Voting Rights Act and commended the Task Force with the current working draft map lines in

District 11 that keep the Filipino community intact. He requested that the Filipino community remain in District 6 and that a Historic District be created for District 6 recognizing the Filipino communities history in the SOMA.
Rudy Corpes, Executive Director, Violence Prevention Program located on Mission Street between 7th and 8th Streets, has been a resident of the neighborhood for 50 years along with many of his family members. He stated that there are other neighborhoods Mission District for the Latino community, Chinatown, Japantown, and Bay View Hunters Point, and that District 6 is the last neighborhood for the Filipino community along with the Excelsior District. He requested that the Filipino community remain intact in District 6 and that the Task Force not divide the power of the Filipino community.
Elijah was raised in District 6 and requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Felid, United Playaz, was raised in District 6 and requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Rudy Corpes III, United Playaz, was raised in District 6 and requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhood Planning Organization, requested that the Japantown area not be divided. He stated that Geary Boulevard should not be used to divide the Western Addition. He requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5 by moving the dividing line to at least Pine Street, and not move it into District 2. The area is more closely aligned with the Western Addition and lower Fillmore area. He requested that the Task Force keep the Asian population intact in District 5 and also requested that Laurel Heights and Jordan Park remain in District 2.
Jon Nulty, Co-Founder, Tenants Coalition for San Francisco, requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary of District 6 Post Street. He stated that there is an Uptown Historic District already established in the area that would be divided. He expressed concern with the working draft map as the most of the proposed changes were being made to District 6 and not evenly across the City. He stated that future growth in the City is going to occur in District 6.
Joshua Arce, Brightline Defense, stated the Tenderloin and SoMa are communities of interest and should remain intact. He requested that the Task Force move the area around 16th Street and Potrero Streets, (4 blocks) as previously mentioned back, to District 6. He stated that the OMI and other areas of District 11 share a community of interest around working households with union ties and requested that OMI remain in District 11.
Sarah Davis, SoMa Cultural Center, requested that the area near 9th and Brannan remain in District 6. As a member of the Mission Creek Harbor Association she indicated that there are many houseboat children who attend Daniel Webster and Bessie Carmichael Schools.
Susan Byrant, resident of District 6 for 21 years, requested that the northern boundary of District 6 be Post Street, which is a better fit for the Tenderloin area.
Thea Selby expressed concern about dividing Districts of 5 and 6 along Geary Boulevard. Geary Boulevard itself has many transit issues affecting people on both sides of the street. She stated that dividing along Geary Boulevard would mean that there would be two Supervisors representing the area, and that this presents a problem for the community. She stated that there is a need to keep the African American and Japanese American communities together in this area of the City because of the ties between their communities and that making Post Street the northern boundary of District 5 would accomplish this. She also stated that Rosa Parks School is

a bilingual and bicultural school that combines the African American and Japanese American cultures and that many children from both communities attend the school.
Michael Pangilinan, Filipino American Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6 and keep District 11 intact. He resubmitted a proposed map for District 6. He stated that the Filipino community has been the swing vote in District 6 in the last Supervisorial elections.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, reviewed the Asian American population and African American populations in District 5. He suggested moving up the northern boundary to the traditional California Street boundary and moving the southern boundary to north of Duboce Street. He stated that the Task Force's major problems are in the populated areas of Districts 5, 6, and 11. He suggested making the Portola District whole and moving it to District 6, moving Potrero Hill into District 6, and moving Treasure Island and Yerba Buena Island into District 3.
Michael Alfaro, Titan Management Group and District 6 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay Terminal in District 6. He stated that from the early development stages of the Transbay Terminal it was designed to be the crown jewel of District 6 and needs to remain part of District 6. He has worked with many groups in the Transbay area and the communities need to be united in addressing the many traffic issues in the area. Also, by taking housing density out of District 6 the need for parks or schools is no longer justified and District 6 needs parks and schools.
Howard Cheng, President of the Board of The Metropolitan, a 340-condominium complex in SoMa, stated that he is concerned over the division of the Transbay area. He requested the Task Force not to let the population rebalancing of the neighborhood be the deciding factor but to let the daily living conditions of the neighborhood be their factor for the drawing of the lines in District 6.
Leo Chiang, resident of The Metropolitan, requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay area in District 6.
Lorenzo, resident of the Tenderloin and Filipino community, requested the Task Force to keep the Tenderloin Filipino community in District 6.
Yvette Torres, Filipino Advocates for Justice and Creative Arts, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Shalini Bhatiu requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay Terminal in District 6 due to common community interests related to traffic. She indicated that the Folsom corridor is critical for parks and schools.
Michael Nulty, Executive Director, Alliance for a Better District 6 and President, Central City Democrats, requested that the boundaries of District 6 should be up to Post Street to Van Ness Avenue, down to 16th Street, and Post Street to Market Street. He suggested moving Treasure Island and Alcatraz to another district. He also requested that the Task Force keep SROs united in District 6 and keep the Transbay Terminal, Mission Bay, and the Filipino community in District 6.
Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, stated that the proposed California Pacific Medical Center development on Van Ness Avenue will have a major impact on the North of Market area and requested that the boundary be Post Street to keep the North of Market area intact.
Marcella, General Manager, The Metropolitan, requested that the Transbay area remain in District 6, and if not in District 6 that it remain intact in one district.
Klaus Nicholson, resident of The Metropolitan, stated that Transbay development issues are District 6 issues not District 3 issues.

District 6 Supervisor Jane Kim expressed her gratitude to the Task Force and community members for coming to District 6 today. She provided a brief history of District 6 and concluded that District 6 residents are neighbors in transition and that the district is tied together in many areas of common interests.
Supervisor Kim requested that the Filipino community remain in District 6 and that the SRO communities be kept united in District 6 south of Post Street, and that the McCoppin Triangle be kept in District 6. She stated that she is the Chair of the Transbay Joint Powers Authority, that many future planning projects are in District 6, that Rincon Hill and South Beach developments and Transbay Redevelopment projects need to stay intact in District 6.
She indicated that Folsom Street has been considered the Boulevard for the SoMa and needs to remain intact for future planning. She stated District 6 is a high-rise residential area unique to San Francisco and that the residents in the area have different needs. She indicated that Treasure Island uses the same community-based organizations used by residents in District 6 and that many of the children who live on Treasure Island attend the same schools and after school programs as children in District 6. She stated that District 6 is a mixed used neighborhood and residents of District 6 understand and realize that their neighborhood is not a traditional retail neighborhood like those in other parts of the City. She stated that District 6 has the second highest percentage of African Americans in the City and there is a large population of African Americans living on Treasure Island. She stated that District 6 is the smallest district on the working draft map at this time and that there is room to add areas in District 6, especially residential.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 11:42 p.m. and reconvened at 11:58 p.m.
The Task Force also recessed at 2:15 p.m. and reconvened at 2:21 p.m.

Note: Task Force returned to Item 2 on the agenda.

4. Community Outreach *(2:21 p.m. to 2:25 p.m.)*
The Task Force reviewed current and future outreach activities.

Public Comment:
Otto Duffy requested that a copy of today's working draft map be made available to the public.
Steven Currier, Outer Mission Merchants and Residents Association, inquired as to whether or not the public would receive emails from the Redistricting Task Force notifying them of future meetings.
David Hooper, President of the New Mission Terrace Improvement Association, provided the Task Force members with copies of the guidelines for the New Mission Terrace Improvement Association.
A female speaker stated that she was not pleased with the Task Force's proposed modifications to the areas of 16th Mission Street. She requested the Task Force to make changes in that area.

5. Task Force Budget *(2:26 p.m. to 2:27 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed Task Force members that there is additional funding available to the Redistricting Task Force. He will present this information to the members at the next meeting.

Public Comment: None

6. Voting Rights Act Analysis *(2:27 p.m. to 2:34 p.m.)*

A. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 6.

None

B. Potential Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION.

i. Motion to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel

ii. Closed session held pursuant to Brown Act section 54956.9(b) (Cal. Gov. Code §54956.9(b)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.10(d)(2) (S.F. Admin. Code §67.10(d)(2)). Significant exposure to litigation as defendant. Number of potential cases: At least one. (Discussion and possible action.) The closed session discussion will focus on potential legal challenges based on Section 2 of the federal Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1973, to the City's redistricting of supervisorial districts. [Note: If the Task Force chooses not to hold a closed session, it may choose to discuss this item in open session.]

C. Reconvene in open session.

i. Vote regarding disclosure of closed session action and deliberations. (Action.) Vote pursuant to Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(a) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(a)) on whether to disclose any portion of closed session discussion.

ii. Disclosure of action taken (if any) to the extent required by Brown Act section 54957.1(a) (Cal. Gov. Code §54957.1(a)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(b) (S.F. Admin. Code §67.12(b)).

Member Leigh, seconded by Member Melara, moved to continue this item to the meeting of January 26, 2012. The motion passed without objection.

7. Task Force Member Reports *(2:35 p.m. to 2:40 p.m.)*

Member Mondejar reported that the Assembly District 17 meeting which she had previously asked to speak at had been cancelled.

Member Pilpel reported that he had been invited by David Latterman to participate in a forum on redistricting at UC Hastings College of the Law on January 28, 2012. Member Pilpel reiterated his request for copies of the new Congressional and Assembly District maps for San Francisco and requested clarification on Task Force member assignments to review public comment. Membe Pilpel requested that he receive all public comments submitted and not just those related to his District assignment.

Public Comment: None

8. Public Comment: *(2:40 p.m. to 2:47 p.m.)*

Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, suggested that Task Force keep a record of editorials and articles written relating to the redistricting process. He also stated the staff at ReDrawSF

have been very helpful and responsive to his questions. He highlighted some problems he noticed concerning the program but indicated that the staff was working to correcting those problems.
Kristine Zaback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, provided the Task Force a map outlining specific traffic issues in the West Of Twin Peaks neighborhood.

9. Future Agenda Items *(2:47 p.m. to 2:48 p.m.)*
Members Tidwell, Mondejar and Melara requested that the closed session item be scheduled prior the Mapping item on the January 26, 2012 meeting agenda.
Member Leigh requested an item to discuss how the Task Force will handle the distribution of the Task Force's working draft maps to the public as modifications are made. Chair McDonnell indicated that this could be discussed during the Mapping item.

10. Adjournment
There being no further business, the Task Force adjourned at 2:49 p.m.

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Date: **January 26, 2012**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Alex L. Pritcher Jr.**
Community Room
1800 Oakdale Avenue
San Francisco, CA

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AGENDA

Alex L. Pitcher Jr. Community Room
1800 Oakdale Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94124

Thursday, January 26, 2012 at 6 p.m.

Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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2. **Voting Rights Act Analysis**
A. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 2.

B. Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION. (Discussion and possible action.) NOTE: The Task Force estimates that the proposed closed session, which members of the public would not be able to attend, will consume approximately one hour.

i. Motion to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. (Action.)

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3. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of January 9, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]

4. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on January 4, 2012, including discussion and possible action regarding map submission deadlines and timelines. [attachment: Working Draft Map 1/04/12]

5. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review the current budget and expenses.

6. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities.

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

8. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**

Next scheduled Meeting: Wednesday, February 1, 2012 at 6 p.m.
Mission Neighborhood Center
362 Capp Street
San Francisco, CA 94110

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REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
MINUTES

Southeast Community Facility

Alex Pitcher Jr. Community Room
1800 Oakdale Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94124

Thursday, January 26, 2012 – 6:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair, Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. Call to Order and Roll Call *(6:13 p.m.)*
The meeting was called to order at 6:13 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Tidwell was absent. Member Tidwell was noted present at 6:19 p.m.

Note: This item was taken out of order.
2. Voting Rights Act Analysis *(9:34 p.m.)*

a. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 2.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Redistricting Task Force member, suggested that it would be useful if the Task Force members would provide information on the Closed Session deliberations.

b. **Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION.**
Member Leigh, seconded by Member Lam, moved to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel.
The motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 8 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber, Tidwell
Noes: 1 - Pilpel
The Task Force convened in Closed Session at 9:40 p.m.

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Present: Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner, Q2 Consultant Karin MacDonald, Task Force members: Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Pilpel, Schreiber, Tidwell

The Task Force reconvened in open session at 10:57 p.m.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, moved not to disclose the closed sessions deliberations.
The motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 9 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Pilpel, Schreiber, Tidwell
Noes: 0.

Note: This item was taken out of order.

3. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of January 9, 2012.** *(9:23 p.m. to 9:24 p.m.)*
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to approve the January 9, 2012 minutes with corrections. The motion passed without objection.

Public Comment:
Kristine Zaback corrected the spelling of Walter Caplan.

4. **Mapping.** *(6:15 p.m. to 9:20 p.m.)*
The Task Force received input from the public, made modifications to the January 4, 2012 working draft map and agreed to post the January 26, 2012 working draft map on the Redistricting Task Force website. The Task Force discussed the changing of the deadline for submittal of citywide maps.

Public Comment:
Marie Harrison, Bay View Hunters Point resident, requested a summary of the redistricting process to date.
Ace Washington, District 5 resident, invited Task Force Members to a meeting in District 5 to welcome Supervisor Olague as the new District 5 Supervisor.
Russell Morine, Visitacion Valley resident, requested that the Task Force keep Visitacion Valley in District 10 and indicated that having the Portola in District 11 would be acceptable to him if it is acceptable to residents of that neighborhood.
Jim Marks, the Portola resident, requested that the Task Force unify the Portola in a single district because currently the neighborhood is split among different districts. .
Tony Kelly, President of the Potrero Hill Boosters Association, supported Potrero Hill, Visitacion Valley, and Bay View Hunters Point all be included in District 10. He said that the hospital and other services in Potrero Hill draw neighbors from the Portola and Bayview, connecting the neighborhoods. He also said these neighborhoods are united by concerns about the environment and local hiring practices.
Karen Breslin, West of Twins Peaks Central Council, requested that the Task Force keep the Forest Knolls area in District 7 intact because the neighborhood has many single-family home and shares shopping districts, among other reasons.
Marlene Tran, Visitacion Valley resident, requested an explanation of the changes to District 10 which have been made to the January 4, 2012 working draft map.

Rose Hillson provided the Task Force a written summary and requested that Jordan Park area remain in District 2 and that Japantown remain in District 5. She said that Japantown and the Fillmore neighborhood share cultural interests.
Theresa Luki, District 10 resident, requested that the Task Force keep San Bruno Avenue in District 10.
Kathy Devencenzi requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2. Residents of those neighborhoods have a close working relationship with their current Supervisor.
Ellen Zhou requested that the Task Force keep the SF Community Empowerment Environmental Center in District 10 and not in District 11.
Dan Dodt, District 10 resident and business owner, requested that the Task Force keep Bay View Hunters Point, Visitacion Valley, and Potrero Hill united in District 10. Dividing those neighborhoods would diminish the power of the neighborhoods to fight together on housing issues. He also requested that the Portola remain in District 10.
Edward Hatter requested that the Task Force keep the Portola, Potrero Hill, Little Hollywood, and Bay View Hunters Point intact in District 10 because these neighborhoods are now on the frontier of development after many years of neglect.
Mary Armstrong requested that the Task Force keep San Bruno Avenue part of District 10. She said that many neighborhood residents take Muni on San Bruno Avenue and consider it part of the neighborhood.
Chris Waddling requested that the Task Force keep Silver Terrace and the Portola in District 10 and stated that the Portola is part of the neighborhood. He also said that the Task Force should keep all of McLaren Park in one district.
Joe Boss, resident of the Dogpatch area, requested that the Task Force keep Bay View Hunters Point, Visitation Valley, Little Hollywood, and Potrero Hill united, even if the Task Force moves the Portola to another district. He also suggested that the northern boundary of District 10 should be 16th Street.
Otto Duffy stated that the biggest challenge is the growth of District 6 and side effects of moving populations from District 6 will affect the outcome of other district's populations.
Steve Currier, Outer Mission resident, expressed concern that the Task Force decided to hold the closed session at the end of tonight's agenda.
Ed Lauretz, requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10. He stated that the Potrero Hill and Bayview neighborhoods both have a high percentage of homeownership.
David Hooper, President, New Mission Terrace Improvement Association, requested that the Task Force keep OMI in District 11. He said that people on both sides of the freeway use the same services and both sides have high homeownership rates.
Kristine Zaback, President, Forest Knolls Association, provided the Task Force with draft maps keeping Forest Knolls in District 7. She noted that West of Twin Peaks Central Council includes 20 neighborhoods that share interests.
Hellyna Brooke requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10.
Chris Bowman suggested that Potrero Hill should be in District 6 to balance the population in District 10, because it is demographically very different from the other neighborhoods in District 10, based on voting patterns, race, and wealth. He also suggested that the submittal deadline for citywide maps be March 19, 2012 unless ReDrawSF.org is fully operational.

Action:
Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to change the deadline for submittal of citywide maps from March 29, 2012 to March 19, 2012, with deadline for submittal of district maps and other recommendations to remain March 29, 2012.
Motion failed by the following vote:
Ayes: 4 - McDonnell, Mondejar, Schreiber, Tidwell
Noes: 5 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, Melara, Pilpel

Member Lam, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to change the deadline for submittal of citywide maps from March 29, 2012 to March 2, 2012, with deadline date for the submittal of district maps and other recommendations to remain March 29, 2012.
Motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 7 – Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber
Noes: 2 - Pilpel, Tidwell

5. **Task Force Budget**. *(9:20 p.m. to 9:23 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that $45,000 had been allocated from the Clerk of the Board's administrative budget for additional outreach, media, surveys, and community grants, and non-profits partnerships.
Public Comment:
Mary Armstrong informed the Task Force that she would be willing to assist in the phone surveys.

6. **Community Outreach.** (*9:28 p.m. to 9:28 p.m.*)
That that the Task Force did not review current and future community outreach activities.
Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** (*9:29 p.m. to 9:32 p.m.)*
Member Leigh informed the Task Force that he would be making another presentation to the Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club on the redistricting process on February 13, 2012.
Member Lam informed the Task Force that she and Chair McDonnell will be attending the Potrero Hill Democratic Club on February 7, 2012 to make a presentation on the redistricting process. She also reminded Task Force members to be aware of quorum guidelines if any other members would be attending the event. She also informed the Task Force and the public that there will be two in-person training sessions on ReDrawSF.org on February 1, 2012 and February 2, 2012.
Member Pilpel informed the Task Force that he made a presentation to the San Francisco Green Party on January 25, 2012. Member Pilpel also informed the Task Force members that he would be making a presentation on January 28, 2012 at UC Hastings School of the Law.
Member Schreiber informed the Task Force that he would be making a presentation to the Human Rights Commission on February 9, 2012 on the redistricting process.
Public Comment: None

8. **Public Comment.** *(9:32 p.m. to 9:33 p.m.)*
None

9. **Future Agenda Items.** *(9:33 p.m. to 9:34 p.m.)*
Note: The Task Force returned to Item 2.

10. **Adjournment**
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:58 p.m.

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Date: **February 1, 2012**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Mission Neighborhood Center**
362 Capp St.
San Francisco, CA 94110

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Mission Neighborhood Center
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ednesday, February 1, 2012 at 6 p.m.

Special Meeting

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2. Mapping. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on January 26, 2012, including discussion and possible action regarding tracking public input for use in mapping. [attachment: Working Draft Map 1/26/12]

3. Task Force Budget. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review the current budget and expenses.

4. Community Outreach. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities.

5. Meeting Schedule. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will schedule meetings for dates after March 29, 2012.

6. Task Force Member Reports. (Discussion.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

7. Public Comment. Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

8. Future Agenda Items. (Discussion and possible action)

9. Adjournment

Next scheduled Meeting: Monday, February 6, 2012 at 6 p.m.
Marina Middle School
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Wednesday, February 1, 2012 at 6 p.m.
Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call** *(6:14 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.)*
The meeting was called to order at 6:14 p.m. On the call of the roll, all members were present.

2. **Mapping.** *(6:15 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.)* The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the January 26, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the February 1, 2012 working draft map to the Redistricting Task Force website.
Note: After public comment was completed, the Task Force recessed before making modifications to the working draft map.
Public Comment:

District 9 Supervisor David Campos thanked the public for coming to the meeting and participating in the redistricting process. He expressed his appreciation to the Task Force for having meetings in the community so that members of the public could comment and provide input. He said that his main concern was that neighborhoods remain cohesive in the final redistricting of the districts. He again thanked the Task Force for their work and the Mission Neighborhood Centers for the use of their facility for the meeting.

Steven Currier, Outer Mission Merchants and Neighborhoods Association, stated that he wanted to be clear about the boundaries for District 11 on the Carter Street which has Saddleback housing (a gated community), North Point (a new housing development), and Waldenberg housing at the southern part of Geneva. He informed the Task Force that 10 years ago this area was moved to District 10 and he requested that it be moved back to District 11. He stated that looking at the January 26, 2012 working draft map it was unclear if the corners of Carter and Geneva were a part of District 11. He stated that anything Northeast of McLaren Park should be in District 9.

Lucia Bogatay, Co-President, Mission Dolores Neighborhood Association, stated that currently her neighborhood is split between Districts 8 and 9. The Neighborhood Association has voted that the neighborhood should remain intact in one district, and historically and logically she believes that they are more identified with District 9 and the Mission District.
Maria Mejara, Mission Dolores Neighborhood Association, informed that Task Force that the Mission Dolores neighborhood is one of the oldest neighborhoods in the city and that many working-class people live and work in the neighborhood. She said that is home to many historical landmarks; Mission Dolores itself is the oldest in California and the oldest building in San Francisco. She requested that the Task Force keep the neighborhood intact with the Mission District.
Marius Starkey requested that the Task Force keep the Mission Dolores neighborhood in one district, and stated that it should be part of the Mission.
Fernando Marti stated that he was working with people from the Southeast on trying to develop a consensus map for all 11 districts. He said that they started with the existing districts. He referred the Task Force to the "community unity" map published by the Bay Guardian.
Jim Chapell expressed concern that moving the boundaries of Districts 8 and 9 west would have a negative impact on the Latino community and their voting power. He also stated that he was concerned with moving the District 8 boundaries to the west, as it would lessen the voting power of the gay community. He indicated that he did support the Community Unity Map as it relates to the Districts 8 and 9 boundaries.
Tony Kelly, President, Potrero Hill Boosters Association, stated that the Task Force could not include all of the Portola in District 10 with Potrero Hill, Bay View, and Visitacion Valley. He indicated that Potrero Hill and Dogpatch are 3 historic working class neighborhoods and that they have joined together in complaints against the City. He requested that Potrero Hill remain in District 10. He stated that the area from Potrero Hill to the Bay is really one neighborhood.
Mark Salomon requested that the Task Force keep the Mission a cohesive neighborhood, including the northern part that is currently in District 6. He expressed concern with the Bay Guardian's proposed community unity map.
Rachel Ebora, Bernal Heights Neighborhood Center, thanked the Task Force for keeping Bernal Heights in District 9 as shown on the January 26, 2012 working draft map. She approves keeping Holly Park and Central Bernal in District 9. She also requested that the OMI remain in District 11. She informed the Task Force that there has been a successful planning process for the OMI and that a similar plan is being proposed for the Ingleside. She indicated that these neighborhoods share many common planning issues and work together to resolve the issues.
Caitlin Flint, The Advancement Project, updated the Task Force and the public on the ReDrawSF.org website.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, stated that he does work with the San Francisco Association of Realtors and will be submitting a map in the future. He stated that the further to the west the District 9 lines are drawn the move would dilute Hispanic voting power. He suggested that both sides of Valencia be in one district. Valencia Street should not be divided in the middle. He suggested that the consultant look at the

Voting Rights Act implications of the new District 4 proposed by the Bay Guardian community unity map.
Rose Hillson stated that Jordan Park and Laurel Heights are a recognized community of interest and requested that the Task Force keep them in District 2.
Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhoods Plan Organization, requested that the Task Force move the boundaries for District 5 up to Pine Street or possibly California Street. He requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He stated that the residents of Japantown do not have anything in common with Sea Cliff, Pacific Heights, the Marina, or Presidio Heights residents.
Otto Duffy requested that the North of Market and South of Market areas remain in District 6. He stated that the McCoppin triangle area is part of SoMa. He suggested that the Task Force move Treasure Island into District 3. He supported keeping Japantown in District 5 and he suggested that either all of Russian Hill or a part of it be moved into District 3.
A resident of District 5 requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5.
P. Harris stated that Japantown and the Booker T. Washington Community Center should remain in District 5. He stated that African Americans in the Fillmore identify with Japantown.
Juanita Garcia, District 6 resident, supported the Community Unity Map as it relates to District 6 boundaries.
Oscar Grande, District 11 resident, supported the Community Unity Map as a means to cross over to other districts see the City as a whole, and allow residents of other districts to share interests and history in each of their respective communities of interest. He stated that the Excelsior and OMI should be kept whole.
Alicia Gamez noted that in the January 26, 2012 working draft map the population in the Southeast and Eastern districts is more concentrated than in the rest of the City. She stated that a 10% population spread is too much and gives under populated districts too much voting power. She urged the Task Force to make the population more equal.
Rafael Mandelman urged the Task Force not to move District 8 too far to the West. He stated that the Castro is part of the eastern side of the City and should be the heart of District 8. He stated that he supports the community unity map.

Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for moving the Forest Knolls neighborhood back into District 7 on the January 26, 2012 working draft map. He informed the Task Force that many projects such as sewer, water, recreation, and Public Utilities Commission are Westside matters.

Marvin Lee, Mission district resident, requested that the Task Force keep in mind, when drawing lines, communities of interest that they may be dividing or mixing together.

3. **Task Force Budget.** *(9:00 p.m. to 9:08 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam presented the revised Task Force budget. She informed the Task Force that $20,000 had been reallocated from the administrative budget and proposed that these funds be used for media outreach, telephone surveys, technical support, and community assistance.
Public Comment: None

4. **Community Outreach.** *(9:08 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed future

outreach activities such as telephone surveys, media outreach, and community technical assistance. The Task Force indicated that these outreach activities will be beneficial in receiving input from members of the public who cannot attend Task Force meetings.
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman supported the telephone survey and possibly a walking tour in neighborhoods to receive feedback from the public.

5. **Meeting Schedule.** *(9:30 p.m. to 9:35 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed proposed meeting dates for after March 29, 2012 and agreed to consider finalizing these dates at the February 6, 2012 meeting.
Public Comment: None

6. **Task Force Member Reports**. *(9:35 p.m. to 9:40 p.m.)*
Member Pilpel reported that he had made a presentation at UC Hastings School of the Law on January 28, 2012. He also reported that he attended the last meeting of the Redevelopment Agency and two historical society events. He informed the Task Force that on February 3, 2012 he would be attending the Neighborhood Network, which is a group of planning activists. Finally, Member Pilpel reported that he will making a presentation to the Youth Commission.

   Member Mondejar reported that she had distributed announcements with the updated meeting schedules and locations to the ethnic media.

   Chair McDonnell reported that he attended a meeting in District 5 and provided an overview of the redistricting process. Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that he and Vice Chair Lam would be attending a meeting on February 7, 2012 of the Potrero Hill Democratic Club. He also reported that there would be a meeting in the Western Addition on February 13, 2012 at 6 p.m. and a meeting of the Duboce Triangle Neighborhood Association on February 13, 2012 at 7:30 p.m.
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, informed the Task Force that he had attended the January 28, 2012 presentation at UC Hastings School of the Law.

7. **Public Comment.** *(9:40 p.m. to 9:43 p.m.)*
Chris Bowman informed the Task Force that he would provide the Realtors' proposed maps to the Task Force. He also suggested that there be a public forum to review and discuss proposed citywide maps which the Task Force has received from the community.

8. **Future Agenda Items.** *(9:43 p.m. to 9:47 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell requested that the regular standing items of Mapping, Community Outreach, and Budget, along with the meeting schedule, be on the next agenda.
Members Tidwell and Pilpel requested that a future agenda include a discussion of the process of how the Task Force would review citywide maps which have been submitted by the public.
Public Comment: None

9. **Adjournment**
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:47 p.m.

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Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
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Seat 5	Sonia Melara
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2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 1, 2012, including discussion and possible action regarding map submission deadlines and timelines. [attachment: Working Draft Map 2/01/12]

3. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses. [attachment: Task Force Budget Report]

4. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities, including its City-wide mapping review process and media outreach.

5. **Meeting Schedule.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will schedule meetings for dates after March 29, 2012.

6. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes of January 21, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]

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public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

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9. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**

Next scheduled Meeting:

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Wednesday, February 6, 2012 – 6:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:13 p.m. All members were present.

2. **Mapping.** *(6:13 p.m. to 8:34 p.m.)*
   The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the February 1, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the February 6, 2012 working draft on the Redistricting Task Force website.

   Public Comment:
   Catherine Stefani, Legislative Aide for District 2 Supervisor Mark Farrell, informed the Task Force that Supervisor Farrell was unable to attend the meeting due a family emergency, and she would present on his behalf. She welcomed the Task Force to District 2 and thanked them for holding a community meeting in District 2. She recognized the enormous task facing the Task Force and thanked them for their service to the City and County of San Francisco. She stated that Supervisor Farrell had met with members of neighborhood associations in District 2 and that redistricting was a topic of discussion. She indicated areas of concern were Jordan Park, Laurel Heights, and Russian Hill. She stated that the Jordan Park area boundaries were west to Arguello and south to Geary. She stated that this area has a strong community of interest with the Presidio Heights and Pacific Heights neighborhoods, including common concerns regarding California Pacific Medical Center (CPMC), planning issues, and recreation and park issues. Neighborhood associations from these areas have requested that Jordan Park and Laurel Heights remain in District 2. The other area of concern was that of Russian Hill, the boundaries of which are south to Union Street and east to Leavenworth. She stated that there are many projects, such as the Francisco Reservoir, which are in the area and concern many in District 2. The neighborhood associations in these areas are

working together to resolve these issues. She stated that these neighborhood associations have requested that Russian Hill remain in District 2.
Steve Cohen, Laurel Heights resident, stated that the Pacific Heights, Presidio Heights, and Marina neighborhoods have a community of interest with Laurel Heights. He requested that the Task Force keep Laurel Heights and Jordan Park in District 2.
Patricia Vaughey, Marina Merchants, expressed concern over the Task Force's working draft map and the map's population variances between the districts. She outlined suggestions for drawing lines in all the districts. She indicated that she would submit proposed maps for the Task Force to review.
Al Sodoni, Anza Vista Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Anza Vista neighborhood in District 2. They have already been working closely with the District 2 Supervisor to resolve potential traffic problems that could result from the Target store moving into the area and would like to continue to work with Supervisor Farrell as the District 2 Supervisor.
Bernard Choden, Japantown Organizing Committee and San Francisco Tomorrow, requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He stated that Japantown had common neighborhood development issues with other areas of District 5.
Charles Ferguson, Presidio Heights Association of Neighbors (PHAN), stated that Jordan Park and Laurel Heights have common neighborhood issues with Presidio Heights. He stated that the neighborhood associations for these areas often meet together. He stated that many of the residents of these areas also often use the Laurel Village shopping center. He stated that the neighborhoods also have common neighborhood issues arising from the University of California San Francisco Laurel Heights campus and the California Pacific Medical Center on California Street campus. He requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2.
Jim Grossman, Anza Vista Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Supervisor Farrell's neighborhood in District 2.
Paul Wermer, Pacific Heights Residents Association, expressed concern with the proposed boundary between Districts 2 and 5 along Geary Street due to the public services - like the Rosa Parks Center and the Western Addition branch library - on both sides of the street. He requested that the Task Force keep Japantown and the Western Addition together in District 5. He recommended moving the boundary between Districts 2 and 5 north to Bush or Sutter Street.
Greg Scott, President, Pacific Heights Residents Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2. He requested that Japantown remain in District 5 and that the Lake Street corridor and Sea Cliff neighborhood remain in District 2.
Lois Scott, Western Addition resident and Cathedral Hill Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force not divide the Cathedral Hill neighborhood. She stated that it is a distinct neighborhood consisting of large apartment complexes built in a former redevelopment area. She requested that the Task Force use a topographic map which would highlight the hills of San Francisco. She also requested the Task Force to remove the "tail" in District 5.
Herbert Weiner requested that the area north of California Street be consolidated into

District 2.
Robert Tamaguchi, member of the Japantown Better Neighborhoods Plan Committee, requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He stated that the current draft boundary along Geary Street splits Japantown and his committee's Japantown planning area. He stated that there are many Japantown landmarks located on both sides of Geary Street. He stated that there are many proposed planning projects occurring in Japantown and they are being made with the joint efforts of the Japanese American and African-American communities.
Patrick Carroll, Diamond Heights Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping Diamond Heights in District 8. He stated that he also opposed the San Francisco Bay Guardian's proposed redistricting map because it would split his neighborhood along Diamond Heights Boulevard.
Gabie Berliner, Jordan Park resident, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2 because the neighborhood shares issues in common with Laurel Heights and Presidio Heights.
Larry Costello, President, Jordan Park Improvement Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2. He stated that neighborhood residents have more commercial and school ties to the rest of District 2 and are more politically aligned with District 2. He stated that neighborhood residents would oppose the policies of recent District 1 supervisors.
Rose Hillson requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2 because it shares common interests with Pacific Heights. She stated that Japantown has a community of interest with the Fillmore arising from similar historical struggles.
Stephanie Wald, Jordan Park resident, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2 due to its close ties to Pacific Heights and Presidio Heights.
M.J. Thomas, Pacific Heights resident, requested that the Task Force keep Laurel Heights in District 2.
Bob Friese, Presidio Heights Association of Neighbors, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2. He stated that the Task Force should also take the character of neighborhoods into consideration.
Ryan Kimura, Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California, requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He stated that the Task Force should not divide the neighborhood along Geary Street and that there are that institutions with ties to Japantown south of Geary, such as Rosa Parks Elementary School which offers bilingual language programs, the St. Francis Square Co-op which has many Japantown residents, and the Buchanan YMCA.
Hiroshi Fukuda requested that the Task Force keep Japantown out of District 2 and in District 5. He also requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2.
Rich Worner, President, Jordan Park Improvement Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2. He stated that the neighborhood has many issues in common with residents of Pacific Heights and Presidio Heights. He also stated that Jordan Park residents have never been supported by District 1 supervisors and have more in common with recent District 2 supervisors with respect to City policies.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, stated that Cathedral Hill working was currently divided between three districts and that work the current Task Force

working draft map has divided the neighborhood between two districts. He suggested that the Task Force move the Anza Vista neighborhood into District 1. He suggested that the Task Force move the Panhandle and the west area of Funston between Judah and Lincoln into District 4. He also suggested that Lake Street be the dividing line between Districts 1 and 2. He requested that the Task Force restore Russian Hill to its current boundaries.

Kathy Devencenzi requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2.

Grover Wald, Jordan Park Improvement Association, stated that area residents have a lot of interaction with CPMC and that there are common ties to schools and shopping districts in the area. He stated that Jordan Park is a homogenous architectural area. He requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5.

Ariel Ungerleiger, President, Marina Neighborhoods Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2. She stated that the areas have common interests with respect to transit and CPMC with other District 2 residents. She also requested that the Task Force keep Russian Hill in District 2. She stated that Russian Hill residents are working with her neighborhood association on a Van Ness Avenue bus rapid transit line and the Francisco Reservoir. She requested that the Task Force keep Japantown and the Fillmore together in District 5.

Mimi Gauss, Jordan Park resident, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2. She stated that the interests of Jordan Park are closely aligned with the interests of District 2 and not District 1.

Karen Kai stated that she was a member of Fifth Stream Music, a jazz group based in Japantown. She stated that there are many ties between Japantown and the Western Addition, such as her group's relationship with the Rosa Parks Elementary School. She requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5 and keep Japantown and the Western Addition together in a single district.

Roger Muskie requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He stated that the Task Force should respect the Japantown planning area boundaries. He stated that Japantown should be in a single district, not split by Geary Street. He also stated that the Japanese American and African American communities are a community of interest in District 5 and should remain together.

Steven Currier, President, Outer Mission Merchants Association, requested that the Task Force move the area south of Geneva to District 11. He stated that this area has more in common with District 11 than it does with District 10. He stated that the current District 11 has a single umbrella organization, the District 11 Council, that represents the entire area.

Catherine Carr, Laurel Heights resident, requested that the Task Force keep Laurel Heights in District 2.

Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping Forest Knolls in District 7 as shown on the current working draft map. He stated that many areas west of Twin Peaks have common issues with respect to Sutro Tower, such as the recent seismic upgrades of the tower. He also thanked the Task Force for their diligence and for being responsive to the public.

Kristine Zaback, President, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping Forest Knolls in District 7 as shown on the current working

draft map.

3. **Task Force Budget.** *(8:34 p.m. to 8:36 p.m.)*
   The Task Force did not discuss its current budget and expenses.
   Public Comment: None

4. **Community Outreach.** *(8:36 p.m. to 8:37 p.m.)*
   Member Lam informed the Task Force that she had contacted John Arntz, Director of the Department of Elections, and that he will be providing a list of possible vendors for outreach activities for the Task Force's review.
   Public Comment: None

5. **Meeting Schedule.** *(8:37 p.m. to 8:44 p.m.)*
   Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to approve the following schedule:
   Wednesday, April 4, 2012 6pm at City Hall
   Thursday, April 5, 2012 6pm at a location to be determined
   Monday, April 9, 2012 6pm at a location to be determined
   Wednesday, April 11, 2012 6pm at City Hall
   Saturday, April 14, 2012 10am at City Hall
   The motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

6. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes**. *(8:45 p.m. to 8:46 p.m.)*
   Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to approve the January 21, 2012 minutes with corrections. Motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(8:47 p.m. to 8:49 p.m.)*
   Member Pilpel informed the Task Force that he would be making a presentation at the Neighborhood Network on February 3, 2012. Member Pilpel also informed the Task Force members he would be contacting the San Francisco Youth Commission to possibly make a presentation on redistricting process.
   Vice Chair Lam informed the Task Force that she and Chair McDonnell would be making a presentation on redistricting to the Potrero Hill Democratic Club on February 7, 2012.
   Member Leigh informed Task Force that he will be making a presentation on the redistricting process at the Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club meeting on February 13, 2012.
   Members Alonso and Tidwell informed the Task Force that they will be unable to attend the February 11, 2012 Task Force meeting.

8. **Public Comment.** (*8:49 p.m. to 8:50 p.m.*)
   Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, addressed the Task Force's modifications to the district lines around the Anza Vista neighborhood and the Western Addition.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** *(8:50 p.m. to 8:53 p.m.)*
   Chair McDonnell requested that Mapping, Task Force Budget, and Community Outreach, along with the other regular items, be included on the next agenda.
   Public Comment: None

10. **Adjournment.**
    There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:54 p.m.

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Date: **Saturday, February 11, 2012**

Time: **2:00 p.m.**

Location: **Washington High School**
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Washington High School Auditorium
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Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 2 p.m.

Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

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Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 6, 2012.
[attachment: Working Draft Map 2/6/12]

3. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.

4. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities, including questions relating to a question survey and media outreach.

5. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes of January 26, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]

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7. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

8. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

9. **Adjournment**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Friday, February 17, 2012 3:00 p.m.**
Room 416, City Hall
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Saturday, February 11, 2012 – 2:00 PM
Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 2:13 p.m. On the call of the roll, the following members were absent: Vice Chair Lam and Members Alonso Mondejar, and Tidwell. Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved to excuse Members Alonso, Mondejar and Tidwell from attending today's meeting.
   Motion passed without objection.
   Vice Chair Lam noted was present at 2:27 p.m.

2. **Mapping.** *(2:14 p.m. to 3:51 p.m.)*
   The Task Force received public input and did not made modifications to the February 6, 2012 working draft map.

   Public Comment:
   District 1 Supervisor Eric Mar complimented the Task Force for listening to the public and having meetings in the community. Supervisor Mar stated that there was some discussion about dividing Golden Gate Park into three districts. He stated that it is a challenge for one Supervisor to meet the needs of Golden Gate Park. He stated that he feels very close to the inner part of Golden Gate Park, but realized that the Task Force has to be careful when drawing the of Golden Gate Park lines. He also stated that demographics and socioeconomic interests within census blocks are critical parts in drawing lines.
   Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow, stated that if the Task Force divided Golden Gate Park it would be dividing a community of interest. He thanked the Task Force for keeping Japantown united in District 5. He expressed concern that the Task Force has divided many ethnic cultures in various districts as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map.
   Paul Kozaiaewicz, Richmond Review Newspaper, stated that Lake Street, Sea Cliff, and the area between California and Lake Streets should be in District 1. Those areas

are part of the Richmond District because they use the same schools, markets, and other services.
Don Asumi, District 1 resident, stated that Lake Street, and Sea Cliff, and the area between California and Lake Streets should be in District 2 because those areas share more in common with District 2 than they share with the working families in the Richmond District. He also stated that if District 1 is to expand he requested that the Task Force include Japantown.
Paul Slaten, Richmond District resident, stated that communities of interest in the Richmond District are divided by Park Presidio Boulevard. He stated that political gerrymandering should not be the reason to draw district lines and that the reason for drawing lines should be to keep communities of interest together.
Larry Griffin, District 5 resident, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center Board member, requested that the Task Force make Booker T. Washington Community Service Center be part of District 5. He stated that this community does not have anything in common with District 2 residents. He suggested that Presidio Avenue would be a good dividing line between Districts 2 and 5. He also stated that an even better dividing line between Districts 2 and 5 would be the north side of Sutter.
Lois Scott, Western Addition and Laguna Heights resident, and Cathedral Hill Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force not divide Cathedral Hill.. She requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5, and this would allow residents of Japantown and Cathedral Hill to address issues together related to the proposed California Pacific Medical Center project. She stated that the project would impact the entire area in terms of transportation, jobs, and the look of the neighborhood.
Eddie On, District 1 resident, requested that the Task Force move the District 1 boundaries to Broderick and Divisadero and include the Anza Vista neighborhood and Western Addition housing projects in District 1 in order to keep the communities of working class people together in District 1. He requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff in District 2 because the demographics of that neighborhood are very different from those of District 1.
Rose Hillson requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2.
Dr. Justin Morgan, District 5 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center and Westside Courts public housing project in District 5. He stated that the residents of these communities share an interest in common with and use the same services as residents in District 5. He provided a proposed map for District 5.
Richard Rothman requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff in District 2 because its residents have high incomes and share little in common with the residents of District 1.
Jean Barish, requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff in District 1 because its residents shop and drive on Geary. She also stated that she is opposed to having Golden Gate Park in more than one district and that Golden Gate Park needs to remain whole and intact.
Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhoods Planning Committee, requested

that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5. He supported having Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Westside Courts public housing project, the Western Addition Library, and Hamilton Recreation Center in District 5. The African American community has been historically and culturally connected to the Asian American community in Japantown since World War II.
Wayne Todda supported keeping Japantown in District 5 along with Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Westside Courts public housing project, Western Addition Library, and the Hamilton Recreation Center.
Pat Scott, President, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, stated that the community of Booker T. Washington Community Service Center has more in common with the residents of District 5 than those of District 2. She stated that currently in District 5 there is an out flux of middle class African Americans, leaving many elderly in District 5. The Japanese American and African American communities work together to provide services to the elderly. There are also many children who are from low-income families and use services in both communities. She also stated that she has worked with both district Supervisors and was able to resolve issues with the District 5 Supervisor because of the communities of interest which he served in District 5.
Rich Worner, Jordan Park Improvement Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2 along with the Presidio Heights, Pacific Heights and Laurel Heights. He also stated that Sea Cliff is not part of Jordan Park's community.
Wendy Aragon, Richmond District Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff in District 2. She stated that the Richmond District is more of a working class neighborhood and can relate to each other and maintain a strong voting power.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Redistricting Task Force member, requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff united in one district.
Barry Lee, Richmond District resident, requested that the Task Force move Sea Cliff back to District 1.
Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, suggested proposed areas to move district lines for District 6.
Former District 1 Supervisor Jake McGoldrick, Richmond District Democratic Club, stated that the February 6, 2012 working draft map seemed to keep communities of interest together. He stated that the Richmond District is made up of two-thirds tenants who are not in the top 1%. He stated that moving the boundaries eastward towards Broderick and Divisadero is the right way to go. He also stated that keeping Golden Gate Park unified is a good idea.
Dan Dodt, District 10 resident, thanked the Task Force for uniting Potrero Hill and Bay View Hunters Point in District 10, as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He expressed concern with the central waterfront area being in District 6 and stated that there is a proposed recycling project for the central waterfront area. He stated that all studies which have been made have included this area in District 10. He requested that the Task Force keep the central waterfront in District 10.
Katherine Howard, Golden Gate Preservation Alliance, requested that the Task Force keep Golden Gate Park whole in District 1.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for

keeping Forest Knolls and West of Twin Peaks in District 7 as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He provided the Task Force with information related to open space and trail projects proposed for West of Twin Peaks and stated that connections to parks, bike paths, and other open spaces keep the area residents connected. He also stated that Golden Gate Park should remain intact in one District.
Kristine Zaback, President, Forest Knolls Associations thanked the Task Force for keeping Forest Knolls in District 7 as shown on the February 6, 2012 current working draft map. She discussed some of the environmental projects in the Westside of the City.
Tess Welborn, Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council, requested that the Task Force move Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Hamilton Recreation Center, Westside Courts public housing project, and the Western Addition Library to District 5 and keep these communities of interest united. She also requested that 55 Laguna be in District 5. She stated that the Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council had worked for over 10 years to address issues related to traffic, redesign of the Market Octavia plan, and the development of the 55 Laguna site. She stated that the LGBT Center could remain in District 8 but requested that 55 Laguna be in District 5.
Richard Correia, District 1 resident, requested that the Task Force make the City sacred in redistricting. He requested that the Task Force preserve the connections of the neighborhoods through schools, shops, transportation, recreation, fire, and other services shared by neighborhoods.
David Heller, President, Geary Boulevard Merchants and Property Owners Association, requested that the Task Force move Sea Cliff to District 1 because Sea Cliff residents shop on Geary.

3. **Task Force Budget.** *(3:51 p.m. to 3:52 p.m.)*
The Task Force did not discuss its current budget and expenses.
Public Comment: None

4. **Community Outreach.** *(3:52 p.m. to 3:54 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam informed the Task Force that she and Member Melara have been in discussion with a vendor for outreach services. These services would include telephone outreach and automatic-dial calling and would be targeted to those individuals hardest to reach in specific communities. She is hopeful to have a proposal for the February 17, 2012 Task Force meeting. Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that Member Mondejar is also reviewing vendors for ethnic media services, and may have some information for the February 17, 2012 Task Force meeting.
Public Comment:
A female speaker requested that future Redistricting Task Force meeting agendas have only one address listed.

5. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes**. *(3:56 p.m. to 3:58 p.m.)*
Member Schreiber, seconded by Member Pilpel, moved to continue the approval of the minutes for the January 26, 2012 meeting to the February 17, 2012 meeting
Motion passed without objection.

6. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(3:58 p.m. to 3:59 p.m.)*
   Member Schreiber informed the Task Force that he made a presentation to the Human Rights Commission on redistricting at their February 9, 2012 meeting.

7. **Public Comment.** *(3:59 p.m.)*
   None

8. **Future Agenda Items**. *(3:59 p.m. to 4:01 p.m.)*
   Chair McDonnell requested that the Mapping, Task Force Budget, Community Outreach, and Minutes, along with the regular items be on the next agenda.
   Public Comment: None

9. **Adjournment.**
   There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:01 p.m.

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
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AGENDA

Friday, February 17, 2012 - 3:00 p.m.
City Hall, Room 416

Regular Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 6, 2012.
[attachment: Working Draft Map 2/6/12]

3. **Voting Rights Act Analysis**

A. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 3.

B. Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION. (Discussion and possible action.) NOTE: the Task Force estimates that the proposed closed session, which members of the public would not be able to attend, will take approximately one hour.

i. Motion to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. (Action.)

ii. Closed session held pursuant to Brown Act section 54956.9(b) (Cal. Gov. Code § 54956.9(b)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.10(d)(2) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.10(d)(2)). Significant exposure to litigation as defendant. Number of potential cases: At least one. The closed session discussion will focus on potential legal challenges based on the federal Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1973, to the City's redistricting of supervisorial districts. (Discussion and possible action.)

C. Reconvene in open session.

i. Vote regarding disclosure of closed session action and deliberations. (Action.) Vote pursuant to Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(a) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(a)) on whether to disclose any portion of closed session discussion.

ii. Disclosure of action taken (if any) to the extent required by Brown Act section 54957.1(a) (Cal. Gov. Code § 54957.1(a)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(b) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(b)).

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9. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

10. **Adjournment**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Thursday, February 23, 2012 6:00 p.m.**
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Friday, February 17, 2012 – 3:00 PM

Regular Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 3:07 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Leigh was absent. Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to excuse Member Leigh from attending today's meeting. The motion passed without objection.

2. **Mapping.** *(3:15 p.m. to 4:10 p.m.)*
   The Task Force received public input and agreed not to make modifications to the February 6, 2012 working draft map.

   Public Comment:
   Patricia Vaughey, Cow Hollow resident, stated that all districts should be diverse. She requested that the Task Force keep Anza Vista in District 2, Sea Cliff in District 1, a portion of Japantown in District 2, for diversity purposes.
   Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow and Japantown Organizing Committee, requested that the Task Force keep the Fillmore and the proposed California Pacific Medical Center (CPMC) site in District 5 because of the high impact of the (CPMC) project on District 5 neighborhoods. He also requested that the Task Force keep Golden Gate Park in District 1 under one Supervisor's representation and that north of Chestnut be in District 2.
   Leah Pimenrel requested that the Task Force keep the Potrero Hill and Bay View Hunters Point in one district. She stated that residents in both of these neighborhoods work well together to address and resolve similar issues.
   Tony Kelly, Potrero Hill Boosters Association President stated that the Port's property and the waterfront lines on the February 6, 2012 working draft map needed to be drawn more clearly. He asked the Task Force to keep Potrero Hill in District 10.
   Chris Duderstode, Inner Sunset Neighbors, stated that a poll was taken of residents in

the Inner Sunset Park Neighborhood and the results were that 62% would prefer to stay in District 5, 22% would like to be in District 7, and the remaining had no opinion. He requested that the Task Force keep the Inner Sunset Park Neighborhood in District 5.
Gus Feldman, District 8 resident, thanked the Task Force for moving the eastern border of District 8 to Valencia Street. He also requested that the Task Force include both sides of Valencia Street in District 8 because both sides of the street share the same concerns and needs. He indicated that Sea Cliff has a lot more in common with District 2 than with District 1.
Robin Havens, Valencia/McCoppin Neighborhood Watch Co-Head, requested that the Task Force keep the Valencia/McCoppin neighborhood intact.
Rose Hillson requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park and Laurel Heights in District 2. She also requested that the Task Force keep and keep the Western Addition and Japantown united in District 5.
Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhood Plan and Japanese American Religious Federation, requested that the Task Force move the line between Districts 2 and 5 from Pine to California Street. He urged the Task Force to keep the St. Xavier Church (on Pine and Octavia Streets) and the Buddhist Church further east on Pine Street in District 5. He stated that the two churches are not currently in District 5 on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He also urged the Task Force to keep the Japanese and African American communities in Japantown together in light of the long history of the two communities working together.
Jean Barish requested the Task Force keep Golden Gate Park in District 1. She stated that Golden Gate Park should remain united and not be divided in two districts.
Larry Griffin, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, requested that the Task Force keep the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center in District 5. He stated that this community does not have any common interests with residents in District 2. He also requested that the Task Force keep Hamilton Playground, Western Addition Branch Library, and Westside Courts Housing Development in District 5.
Katherine Howard, Golden Gate Park Preservation Alliance, requested that the Task Force keep Golden Gate Park in a single district. She stated that dividing the park may cause development and use the open space for other activities. She stated that Golden Gate Park was conceived as a whole and should remain whole.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force Member, stated that parks are institutions and like institutions Golden Gate Park should remain whole. He asked the Task Force to remove Potrero Hill from District 10 because that community has higher voting rates than other communities in the district.
Karen Kai requested that the Task Force keep Japantown united in District 5. She also suggested that Anza Vista be in District 2.
Ron Kingston, San Francisco Association of Realtors, submitted the San Francisco Association of Realtors citywide map. He reviewed with the Task Force the criteria used to create the map and suggested that the Task Force have a future hearing to review more thoroughly the submitted map.
Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, supported the map submitted by the Japantown and Western Addition representatives and requested that the Task Force keep Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Hamilton Recreation Center, Westside

Courts Housing, JCYC, Rosa Parks Elementary School, and Chibi-Chan preschool in District 5.
Kristine Zaback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association President, provided the Task Force with information relating to green issues related to the West of Twin Peaks area.
Otto Duffy requested that the north of Market and south of Market is the core of District 6.
Mary Harris, President, Oceanview Merced Ingleside (OMI) Neighbors in Action President, expressed concern with the San Francisco Association of Realtors map and requested that the Task Force keep the OMI in District 11 and not to move the OMI to District 7.
Alicia Gamez, Liberty Hill Neighborhood Association, submitted a proposed map for District 8 which would ensure equal representation for residents in Districts 8 and 9.
Pat Scott, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Director, requested that the Task Force keep the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center in District 5. She stated that Booker T. Washington Community Service Center community has more in common with District 5 than District 2. She stated that currently 5 there is an out-flux of middle class African Americans in District 5, leaving many elderly. She stated that the Japanese American and African American communities work together to provide services to the elderly and that the there are also many children e from low-income families who use services from both communities. She also stated that she has worked with both district Supervisors and was able to resolve issues with the District 5 Supervisor because of the communities of interest served in District 5.

3. **Voting Rights Act Analysis** *(4:11 p.m. to 5:55 p.m.)*
Public comment on all matters pertaining to this item.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force ensure that each person have equal voting power. She stated that no one Supervisor should represent a lesser or greater percentage of voters than another Supervisor. She suggested that moving population from District 9 to District 8 would ensure equal representation for all.
Bernard Choden stated that the Task Force should add voter registration to the Voting Rights Act Analysis.
Gus Feldman requested that the Task Force move the District 8 boundaries eastward to the Valencia corridor. He stated that this move would keep the gay community, a community of interest, together.
Carlo De La Cruz, Asian Law Caucus, cautioned the Task Force to listen to community input from District 11 and not to draw a district in that area solely by the number of particular minority group members in a district but to consider communities of interest.

Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION.

Member Melara, seconded by Member Lam, moved to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. The motion passed without objection.

The Task Force convened in Closed Session at 4:15 p.m.
Present: Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner, Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee; and Task Force Members: Mike Alonso, Jenny Lam, Eric McDonnell, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell
Redistricting Task Force Clerk Kay Gulbengay

The Task Force reconvened in open session at 5:54 p.m.
An announcement was made that the Task Force met in closed session with legal counsel to discuss anticipated litigation and took no action.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved not to disclose the closed session's discussions. The motion passed without objection.

4. **Task Force Budget.** *(5:57 p.m. to 5:58 p.m.) (5:59 p.m. to 6:18 p.m.)*
Member Melara reported that she and Vice Chair Lam had reviewed proposals for outreach services to include telephone auto calling and consultant services totaling $7,000. These services will help to make people aware of the scheduled meetings.
Member Schreiber requested that the City Attorney's Office review the proposal to ensure that the use of automatic telephone calls is in compliance with both Federal and State regulations.
Note: Chair McDonnell left the meeting at 6:09 p.m.

Public Comment:
Chris Bowman, 1995 Past Task Force member, asked how the additional $13,000 for community outreach will be allocated.
The Task Force discussed scope and funds for telephone outreach services.

Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Alonso, moved to approve the expenditure of $7,000 for telephone outreach services. The motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 6 - Alonso, Lam, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber, Tidwell
Noes: 1 - Pilpel
Excused: 1 - Leigh
Absent : 1 - McDonnell

Member Mondejar reported that she had received a $9,000 proposal for advertising in ethnic newspapers, websites, and potential public service announcements.
After discussion, several members of the Task Force requested that Member Mondejar provide a written proposal from the consultant for the advertising proposal and the costs for the services so that action can be taken at the February 23, 2012

Task Force meeting.

5. **Community Outreach.** *(5:58 p.m. to 5:59 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed community outreach for telephone surveys and ethnic media services. The Task Force returned to Item Number 4, Task Force Budget, so that a vote could be taken on the matter.
Public Comment: None

6. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes of January 26 and February 1, 2012**. *(6:18 p.m. to 6:19 p.m.)*
Member Melara, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to approve the Redistricting Task Force Minutes with corrections for January 26and February 1, 2012.
The motion passed without objection.
Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(6:20 p.m. to 6:24 p.m.)*
Member Tidwell reported that she and Chair McDonnell had met with some of the residents of Japantown to review the redistricting process.
Member Pilpel reported that he will be making a presentation on redistricting at the Youth Commission meeting of Tuesday, February 21, 2012 at Member Mondejar reported that she had sent out new correspondence with the updated Task Force meeting schedule and deadline for the submittal of maps and recommendations.
Member Alonso reported that he had made a presentation on redistricting to the Potrero Hill Democratic Club. He also reported that he would be making a presentation on redistricting at San Francisco State University.
Vice Chair Lam reported that she had answered questions from the District 3 Democratic Club on redistricting.
Public Comment: None

8. **Public Comment**. *6:24 p.m.*
None

9. **Future Agenda Items**. (*6:24 pm to 6:27 p.m.)*

Member Schreiber requested an item related to the Final Report of the Task Force, including possible assignments be made for writing portions of the report.
Vice Chair Lam requested an item related to how the Task Force will review the submittal of citywide maps.
Member Melara inquired if the Task Force will have to take a vote on the matter of the Voting Rights Act at a future meeting.
Public Comment: None

10. **Adjournment.**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

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Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map. [Attachment: Working Draft Map 2/6/12.] [NOTE: The Task Force may modify the working draft map at its February 17, 2012, meeting, after publication of this agenda. If the Task Force adopts a revised working draft map on February 17, 2012, the map will be available for public inspection at City Hall, Room 244, Reception Desk, and on-line at sfgov.org/rdtf. The revised map, if any, will be made available as soon as possible and no later than February 22, 2012.]

3. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.

4. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities, including questions relating to a question survey and media outreach.

5. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget

(Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

6. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

7. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

8. **Adjournment**

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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
The meeting was called to order at 6:14 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Melara was noted absent. Member Melara was noted present at 6:45 p.m.

2. **Mapping.** *(6:15 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.)*
The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the February 6, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the February 23, 2012 working draft on the Redistricting Task Force website.

Public Comment:
District 3 - Supervisor David Chiu welcomed the Task Force to District 3. He thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for community outreach. He stated that his perspective on the drawing of lines was irrelevant because the drawing of district lines was the responsibility of citizens not elected officials. He stated that District 3 would have to gain several thousand people and this could only be done by either going west or south. He requested that the Task Force keep communities of interest and neighborhoods united.
Franck Cannata, Middle Polk Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Polk Street corridor in District 3. He stated that there is a community of interest in the Middle Polk area about issues such as crime abatement, beautification, etc.
Penelope Clark, Russian Hill Improvement Association, stated that north side of Hyde Street could be more of an appropriate border between Districts 2 and 3. She stated that most people in the Association would like to see all of Russian Hill in District 3. She expressed concern with being unable to read the lines on the February 6, 2012 working draft map.

Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow and Japantown resident, addressed the Task Force about the Voting Rights Act relating to population representation and suggested that the Task Force load its database to include where voters live and issues relating to social class. He urged the Task Force to stop and reauthorize its budget and time in order to consider these aspects. In regards to communities of interest he stated that the current February 6, 2012 working draft map had divided the Islamic community of interest and that the Task Force should reconsider this and keep this religious community of interest united. He stated that the Japanese Americans and African Americans have a strong association with each other and should remain united in District 5. He requested that the California Pacific Medical Center project be in District 5. He requested that the Task Force move the area north of Chestnut Street into District 2, and that Golden Gate Park remains united and represented by only one Supervisor.

Elizabeth Jones, Westside Courts Housing Project, requested that the Task Force keep the Westside Courts Housing Project in District 5. She stated that residents of Westside Court use District 5 services and they would be lost in a different district.

Hiroshi Fukudo, Japantown Better Neighborhood Association and Japanese American Religious Federation, requested that the Task Force move the line between Districts 2 and 5 from Pine to California Street. He stated that three churches in the Federation were excluded from District 5 on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He urged the Task Force to keep in District 5 the St. Benedict Xaviar Church (on Pine and Octavia Streets) and the Buddhist Church further east on Pine Street. He also urged the Task Force to keep the Japanese and African American communities in Japantown together in light of the long history of those two communities working together. He supported the previous speaker's suggestion to keep Westside Court with Japantown.

Karin Flood, Union Square Business Improvement District, thanked the Task Force for its hard work and requested that the Task Force keep the Union Square area intact. This is approximately a 27-block area, and its boundaries are Bush, Kearny, Market, and Mason or Taylor. There are not many voters in this area, but there are important business interests. She requested that the boundaries of District 3 be extended to include Market Street and Hallidie Plaza.

Linda Chapman, Nob Hill Association, requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary for District 3 Van Ness Avenue. She stated that the boundaries of Nob Hill are Van Ness to Broadway. The southern and eastern boundaries are more variable, but Van Ness is an absolute boundary that divides Nob Hill and Pacific Heights. She stated that Nob Hill is not all rich. There are some wealthy households at the top of the hill but there are lots of median income households lower doewn that do not have much in common with Pacific Heights.

Robyn Tucker, Co-Chair Pacific Avenue Association (PANA), requested that the Task Force keep the Pacific Avenue Association area in District 3. She stated that they share many issues and areas of concern and communities of interest with District 3, including dense population and a focus on safety, zoning, quality of life, and small business issues. They work with Supervisor David Chiu to address these needs.

Kathleen Courtney, Chair of Housing and Zoning, Russian Hill Community Association, congratulated the Task Force on their redistricting process, and the attention they have given to the community input. She also expressed how well staff keeps the public informed of meetings. She stated that her association is comfortable being in District 3 and works hard to address zoning, planning, and safety matters with other associations in District 3.
Alicia Gamez, District 8 resident, informed the Task Force that the maps which she had previously submitted, for Districts 5 and 8 have been approved by the District 8 Democratic Club and Liberty Hill Neighborhood Association. She submitted a map to the Task Force and stated that her map addresses the overpopulation in District 9.She stated that these maps would ensure equal representation for all residents in districts 8 and 9.
Tina Moylan, President, Russian Hill Neighbors Association, stated the boundary for Russian Hill is Van Ness Avenue to Mason Street and Pacific Avenue to North Point. She informed the Task Force that the Russian Hill Neighbors Association had voted unanimously to keep the lines as they are currently drawn on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. She stated that they are happy with having Russian Hill in two districts. She stated that they have a good working relationship with both Supervisor Chiu and Supervisor Farrell.
Richard Cardello, Russian Hill Neighbors Association, stated that he was satisfied with the district lines of District 3 as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map.
Marlene Morgan, Cathedral Hill Neighborhood Association, stated that she agreed with the changes made on the current February 6, 2012 working draft map to District 5 but she requested that the Task Force include California Pacific Medical Center proposed project in District 5. This would mean drawing the line for District 5 to Post Street. She also stated that Cathedral Hill and Japantown should be in District 5.
Chris Shulman stated that he was satisfied with the district line of District 3 as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the southern boundary not go further than Post Street.
Karen Kai, Japantown community member, stated that she was pleased to have Japantown in District 5 on the February 6, 2012 working draft. She provided the task force the proposed northern boundaries beginning on Gough up to California Street, west on California to Buchanan, south on Buchanan to Pine, west on Pine to Scott, south on Scott to Sutter, west on Sutter to Presidio, and south on Presidio to Geary. These proposed boundaries would bring all communities of interest of both Japanese Americans and African Americans to District 5.
Robert Rusky, Japantown resident, stated that he supports the lines as described by the previous speaker to bring together all the communities of interests, churches and service agencies for both the Japanese American and African American communities in District 5. These institutions include the Hamilton Recreation Center, Westside Courts, and the Booker T. Washington Center. He stated that it is important to keep Japantown and the Fillmore whole. Both communities are working together to recover from redevelopment and it is important to have one supervisor represent them.

Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, supported the map submitted by the Japantown and Western Addition associations and requested that the Task Force keep Booker T. Washington Service Center, Hamilton Community Center, Westside Courts Housing Project, JCYC, Rosa Parks Elementary School and Chibi-Chan preschool in District 5. Regarding District 11, she urged the Task Force to ask the consultant if it would be possible to make District 11 fifty-percent Asian citizen voting age population without dividing communities of interest. If not, she urgedt the Task Force to get as close as possible to 50% without dividing communities of interest.

Dr Justin Morgan, family physician in the Fillmore area, requested that the Task Force put Westside Courts Housing Project and Booker T. Washington Community Service Center in District 5, as they are part of the Western Addition and have communities of interest with the residents of District 5.

Rose Hillson, Jordan Park Improvement Association, requested that the Task Force keep Jordan Park in District 2. She also requested that the Task Force keep Japantown in District 5 and keep the Western Addition and Japantown united in District 5. She also requested that the Task Force include Western Addition Library in District 5.

Al Sodoni, Anza Vista Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Anza Vista in District 2. He stated that his association has been working with the current District 2 Supervisor to address traffic issues related to the proposed building of the Target store at Masonic and Geary. He stated that his neighborhood is more residential than District 5, which is more business.

A female speaker, Chair, Middle Polk Association, requested that the Task Force keep the middle Polk area in District 3. She stated that the boundaries are Van Ness to Leavenworth and California to Broadway.

Kristine Zaback, President, Forest Knolls Association, stated that the homes in the West of Twin Peaks area are predominately zoned as RH-1 and are different from those homes in District 8. She requested that West of Twin Peaks area remain in District 7, which would allow effective representation by a Supervisor aware of the needs of single-family residences.

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The motion passed by the following vote.
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Public Comment: None

6. **Public Comment**
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8. **Adjournment**
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

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Thursday, February 23, 2012 - 6:00 PM

Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
The meeting was called to order at 6:14 p.m. On the call of the roll, Member Melara was noted absent. Member Melara was noted present at 6:45 p.m.

2. Mapping. *(6:15 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.)*
The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the February 6, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the February 23, 2012 working draft on the Redistricting Task Force website.

Public Comment:
District 3 Supervisor David Chiu welcomed the Task Force to District 3. He thanked the Task Force for its hard work and community outreach. He stated that his perspective on the drawing of district lines was irrelevant because the drawing of district lines was the responsibility of citizens and not elected officials. He stated that District 3 would have to gain several thousand people and this could only be done by either going west or south. He requested that the Task Force keep communities of interest and neighborhoods united.
Frank Cannata, Middle Polk Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep Polk Street corridor in District 3. He stated that there is a community of interest in the Middle Polk area about issues such as crime abatement, beautification, etc.
Penelope Clark, Russian Hill Improvement Association, stated that Hyde Street could be an appropriate border between Districts 2 and 3. She stated that most people in the Russian Hill Neighborhood Association would like to see all of Russian Hill in District 3. She expressed concern with being unable to read the lines on the February 6, 2012 working draft map.

Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow and Japantown resident, addressed the Task Force about the Voting Rights Act relating to population representation and suggested that the Task Force load its database to include where voters live and issues relating to social class. He urged the Task Force to stop and reauthorize its budget and time in order to consider these aspects. In regards to communities of interest he stated that the current February 6, 2012 working draft map had divided the Islamic community of interest and that the Task Force should reconsider this and keep this religious community of interest united. He stated that the Japanese Americans and African Americans have a strong association with each other and should remain united in District 5. He requested that the California Pacific Medical Center project be in District 5. He requested that the Task Force move the area north of Chestnut Street into District 2, and that Golden Gate Park remains united and represented by only one Supervisor.

Elizabeth Jones, Westside Courts Housing Project, requested that the Task Force keep the Westside Courts Housing Project in District 5. She stated that residents of Westside Court use District 5 services and they would be lost in a different district.

Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhood Association and Japanese American Religious Federation, requested that the Task Force move the line between Districts 2 and 5 from Pine to California Street. He stated that three churches in the Federation were excluded from District 5 on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He urged the Task Force to keep in District 5 the St. Benedict Xaviar Church (on Pine and Octavia Streets) and the Buddhist Church further east on Pine Street. He also urged the Task Force to keep the Japanese and African American communities in Japantown together in light of the long history of those two communities working together. He supported the previous speaker's suggestion to keep Westside Court with Japantown.

Karin Flood, Union Square Business Improvement District, thanked the Task Force for its hard work and requested that the Task Force keep the Union Square area intact. This is approximately a 27-block area, and its boundaries are Bush, Kearny, Market, and Mason or Taylor. There are not many voters in this area, but there are important business interests. She requested that the boundaries of District 3 be extended to include Market Street and Hallidie Plaza.

Linda Chapman, Nob Hill Association, requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary for District 3 Van Ness Avenue. She stated that the boundaries of Nob Hill are Van Ness to Broadway. The southern and eastern boundaries are more variable, but Van Ness is an absolute boundary that divides Nob Hill and Pacific Heights. She stated that Nob Hill is not all rich. There are some wealthy households at the top of the hill but there are lots of median income households lower doewn that do not have much in common with Pacific Heights.

Robyn Tucker, Avenue Association (PANA) Co-Chair Pacific, requested that the Task Force keep the Pacific Avenue Association area in District 3. She stated that they share many issues and areas of concern and communities of interest with District 3, including dense population and a focus on safety, zoning, quality of life, and small business issues. They work with Supervisor David Chiu to address these needs.

Kathleen Courtney, Chair of Housing and Zoning, Russian Hill Community Association, congratulated the Task Force on their redistricting process, and the attention they have given to the community input. She also expressed how well staff keeps the public informed of meetings. She stated that her association is comfortable being in District 3 and works hard to address zoning, planning, and safety matters with other associations in District 3.

Alicia Gamez, District 8 resident, informed the Task Force that the maps which she had previously submitted, for Districts 5 and 8 have been approved by the District 8 Democratic Club and Liberty Hill Neighborhood Association. She submitted a map to the Task Force and stated that her map addresses the overpopulation in District 9.She stated that these maps would ensure equal representation for all residents in districts 8 and 9.

Tina Moylan, President, Russian Hill Neighbors Association, stated the boundary for Russian Hill is Van Ness Avenue to Mason Street and Pacific Avenue to North Point. She informed the Task Force that the Russian Hill Neighbors Association had voted unanimously to keep the lines as they are currently drawn on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. She stated that they are happy with having Russian Hill in two districts. She stated that they have a good working relationship with both Supervisor Chiu and Supervisor Farrell.

Richard Cardello, Russian Hill Neighbors Association, stated that he was satisfied with the district lines of District 3 as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map.

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Chris Shulman stated that he was satisfied with the district line of District 3 as shown on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the southern boundary not go further than Post Street.

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REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE

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Date: **Thursday, March 1, 2012**

Time: **6:00 p.m.**

Location: **Everett Middle School**
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San Francisco, CA

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Kay Gulbengay
Redistricting Task Force Clerk

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Special Meeting

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Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
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2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 23, 2012.
[attachment: Working Draft Map 2/23/12]

3. **Voting Rights Act Analysis**
A. Public comment on all matters pertaining to agenda item 3.

B. Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION. (Discussion and possible action.) NOTE: the Task Force estimates that the proposed closed session, which members of the public would not be able to attend, will take approximately 20 minutes.

i. Motion to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. (Action.)

ii. Closed session held pursuant to Brown Act section 54956.9(b) (Cal. Gov. Code § 54956.9(b)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.10(d)(2) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.10(d)(2)). Significant exposure to litigation as defendant. Number of potential cases: At least one. The closed session discussion will focus on potential legal challenges based on the federal Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1973, to the City's redistricting of supervisorial districts. (Discussion and possible action.)

C. Reconvene in open session.

i. Vote regarding disclosure of closed session action and deliberations. (Action.) Vote pursuant to Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(a) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(a)) on whether to disclose any portion of closed session discussion.

ii. Disclosure of action taken (if any) to the extent required by Brown Act section 54957.1(a) (Cal. Gov. Code § 54957.1(a)) and Sunshine Ordinance section 67.12(b) (S.F. Admin. Code § 67.12(b)).

4. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.

5. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities, including questions relating to a question survey and media outreach.

6. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes of December 16, 2011, February 6, 2012 and February 11, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]

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8. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** (Discussion.) The Task Force must complete redrawing district lines before April 15, 2012. The Task Force will discuss the format of its final determination, possibly including whether to issue written findings or a report. [attachment: 2000 Final Report on District Lines Drawn and Community Meeting Summaries]

9. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

10. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

11. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action)

12. **Adjournment.**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Wednesday, March 7, 2012 6:00 p.m.**
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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:17 p.m. On the call of the roll, Members Schreiber and Tidwell were noted absent. Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to excuse Members Schreiber and Tidwell from attending the meeting. The motion passed without objection.

2. **Mapping.** (*6:18 p.m. to 8:10 p.m.*)
   The Task Force received public input and did not modify the February 23, 2012 working draft map.

   Public Comment:
   District 8 Supervisor Scott Wiener welcomed to the Task Force to District 8. He stated that he was grateful for the uniting of neighborhoods in District 8 as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna Street in District 8. He stated that the proposed senior housing for LGBT community, at 55 Laguna, and the LGBT Community Center are parts of the communities of interest in District 8 and should remain united in District 8.
   Neil Sims, Open House, requested the Task Force keep 55 Laguna, the proposed site for an Open House housing development for the LGBT community and the LGBT Community Center as communities of interest in District 8.
   Hadley Hall stated that the LGBT community in District 8 was a strong community of interest, and requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 8.
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Felicia Elizondo, District 8 resident, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Marilyn Hayward, Open House, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 8 in order to keep the service providers in the same district as the people they serve.
Ann Minkoff, District 8 resident, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 8.
Seth Kilbourn, Executive Director, Open House, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Patrick Carroll, Diamond Heights Association, requested that the Task Force keep Diamond Heights in District 8. He requested that Diamond Heights Boulevard not be the dividing line between Districts 7 and 8 because that would split the community between two districts.
Ray Rudolph, Open House, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Michelle Alcedo, Open House, Director of Programs, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
John Whery, District 8 resident, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
David Axel requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Randy Hicks, District 8 resident, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Martha Knutzen, Co-Chair, Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Reese Isabell, Co-Chair Alice B. Toklas LGBT Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Denise LaPointe, West of Twin Peaks Central Council, submitted the West of Twin Peaks Central Council proposed District 7 map.
Jason Henderson, Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association, stated that Hayes Valley Association welcomes Open House and the proposed senior LGBT project for 55 Laguna. He also stated the Hayes Valley and Lower Haight share communities of interest and should remain united in District 5. He also stated that the proposed LGBT senior housing is a future proposal and that representation is needed now. He requested that the LGBT Community Center remain in District 8. but that 55 Laguna should be in District 5. He stated that the Hayes Valley Association supported the February 6, 2012 Community Unity Map.
Dave Gartner. President, Dolores United, thanked the Task force for keeping the eastern boundary for District 8 at 20th and Market and Valencia and Sanchez Streets as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map because it keeps the neighborhood in one district.
Manesh Champsy thanked the Task force for keeping the eastern boundary for District 8 at 20th and Market and Valencia and Sanchez Streets as shown on the

February 23, 2012 working draft map. He also thanked the Task Force for keeping the inner sunset in district 5.
Stanley Watson, Open House, thanked the task force for their hard work and for keeping Duboce Park community in District 8 as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
David Cortez, Vice President, Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the communities of interest of Hayes Valley in District 5. He stated that the Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association has been involved in the discussions with the planning of the proposed housing development at 55 Laguna since the beginning of the planning stages. He also requested that the Task Force keep the University of California extension campus in District 5.
Bill Wilson, Sunnyside district, stated that he had read the final report of the 2000 Task Force, and disagreed with their findings that the Sunnyside district is more closely aligned with the Glen Park residents than those in District 7. He requested that the Task Force move Sunnyside into either District 7 or District 8. He stated that it would be easier to move the Sunnyside area into District 7.
Peter Cohen, District 8 Democratic Club, provided proposed boundaries for District 8 to include up to Stanyan Street; eastern boundary to Valencia to keep the Valencia corridor intact; northern boundary Waller down to Steiner to Herman and wrap around the LGBT Community Center. He stated that the Hayes Valley and Lower Haight have communities of interest and should remain in District 8.
Mick Ames suggested that the Sunnyside Conservatory be in District 7, and the boundary for District 7 be at Congo Street down to the 280 Freeway.
Kathleen Cole stated that District 5 has several elderly care facilities and a proposal for more, so 55 Laguna would fit well in that district. She supports the Community Unity Map.
Sasha Cutler, Noe Valley resident, supported the Community Unity Map. She requested the Task Force keep communities of interest in Hayes Valley, including 55 Laguna, united in District 5. She also suggested that Diamond Heights Boulevard be in District 8.
Sasha Cutler, District 8 Democratic Club, supported the Community Unity Map. He also requested that the Task Force keep the Hayes Valley and Lower Haight together as communities of interest.
George Cole requested that the Task Force keep Sunnyside united in District 7. He thanked the Task Force for making the eastern boundary of District 8 at Valencia as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He suggested that Diamond Heights could be moved to District 7 and he requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5 as a part of the Hayes Valley.
Jim Chappell stated that he was very pleased with the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He requested that Diamond Heights remain in District 8. He also requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna and the LGBT Community Center in District 8.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, requested that the Task Force unite the Sunnyside area. He suggested that Clarendon Heights and Twin Peaks Improvements Association be united. He also suggested that Ashbury Heights and Buena Vista

Heights be united. He also suggested that Kaiser Hospital be in District 5 and not be divided into two districts.
Richard Johnson, Community Partners United and past member of the Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Hayes Valley communities of interest united in District 5, including the proposed senior LGBT housing at 55 Laguna.
Otto Duffy, District 6 resident, North of Market, requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary of District 6 Post Street.
Mathew Gonzalez requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino united in Districts 6 and 11.
Alex Walker requested that the Task Force extend the boundaries east to Valencia, and that St. Lukes Hospital be in District 8 and the District 9 boundary should be the 101.
Gus Feldman, District 8 Democratic Club, stated that he supports the Community Unity Map, and requested that the Task Force keep the Lower Haight and Hayes Valley united in District 5.
Dennis Richards, Duboce Triangle Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Duboce Triangle united, and that Diamond Heights not be divided.
Richard Ivanhoe, Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council, stated that he supported the Community Unity Map, and requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Crystal Java stated that she supported the Community Unity Map.
Hiroshi Fukuda, Japantown Better Neighborhood Association and Japanese Religious Federation, requested that the Task Force should move the line between Districts 2 and 5 from Pine to California Street. He urged the Task Force to keep the St. Xaviar Church (on Pine and Octavia Streets) and the Buddhist Church further east on Pine Street. He stated that these two churches are not currently in District 5 on the February 6, 2012 working draft map. He also urged the Task Force to keep the Japanese and African American communities in Japantown together in light of the long history of those two communities working together.
Dr. Justin Morgan, District 5 resident, stated that he was pleased that the Task Force had reunited Japantown and the Fillmore as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the Task Force also include Booker T. Washington Center, Hamilton Community Center, Westside Courts Housing, JCYC, Rosa Parks Elementary School and Chibi-Chan preschool in District 5.
Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, supported the map submitted by the Japantown and Western Addition associations and requested that the Task Force keep Booker T. Washington Center, Hamilton Community Center, Westside Courts Housing, JCYC, Rosa Parks Elementary School and Chibi-Chan preschool in District 5.
Danielle Love, Lower Haight resident, supported the February 6, 2012 Community Unity map.
Alicia Gamez, District 8 Resident, stated that the February 23, 2012 working draft map shows an over population in the northern/eastern sections of the City and an under population in the southern/eastern sections of the City. She stated that this causes under representation for the southern/eastern and more representation in the northern/western. She suggested that the Task Force move populations to the

southern/eastern sections, which would balance the population and representation throughout the City. She requested that the Task Force include both sides of Valencia Street in District 8.
Risa Teitelbaum, Liberty Hill Association, requested that the Task Force unite the Valencia corridor over to Bartlett Street.
Judy Berkovitz, President Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods, and member of the East Mission Improvement Association,sta ted that the Coalition for Neighborhood reviewed the February 23, 2012 working draft map and the SF Realtors map. She stated they did not have the Community Unity Map to review but looked forward to reviewing it with members of the association. She stated having two Supervisors representing an area could be beneficial to neighborhood associations. She requested that the Task Force keep San Francisco General Hospital in one district, preferably District 9.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, stated that Claremont Elementary School has an enrollment of 574, of which only 15% live in District 7. He stated that next year the Board of Education will give children living in a neighborhood preference to neighborhood schools, which will mean that there will be a need for only one Supervisor to represent the schools in the district.

Note: This matter was taken out of order.

3. **Voting Rights Act Analysis** *(9:00 p.m. to 9:28 p.m.)*
Public comment on all matters pertaining to this item: None

Closed session – CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – ANTICIPATED LITIGATION.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Vice Chair Lam, moved to invoke the attorney-client privilege and go into closed session to confer with or receive advice from legal counsel. The motion passed without objection.

The Task Force convened in Closed Session at 9:00 p.m.
Present: Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner
Task Force Members: Alonso, Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Pilpel;
Redistricting Task Force Clerk, Kay Gulbengay;
Redistricting Task Force Consultants, Karin Mac Donald and Jaime Clark

The Task Force reconvened in open session at 9:28 p.m.
Chair McDonnell reported that counsel advised the Task Force about litigation risks related to Section 2 of the Voting Rights Act, and specifically about the decision of whether to consider race as a predominant factor in drawing a district in the Southeastern area of the City. After conferring with legal counsel, the Task Force determined by a vote of 6-1 that they will not consider race as a predominant factor in drawing districts in that area of the City. (Motion made by Member Melara, seconded by Vice Chair Lam, with Member Mondejar voting No and Members Schreiber and Tidwell excused).

Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved not to disclose the closed session's deliberations. The motion passed without objection.

4. **Task Force Budget.** *(8:11 p.m. to 8:12 p.m.)*
Vice Chair Lam reported that she did not have any budget updates.

Public Comment: None

5. **Community Outreach.** (*8:12 p.m. to 8:24 p.m.*)
Vice Chair Lam reported that she had discussions with staff members at the University of San Francisco possibly conducting surveys regarding public interest in redistricting but due to time constraints this may not be of value to the Task Force's work. She indicated that the Task Force could conduct specific focus groups. Chair McDonnell requested that one of the focus groups be with seniors and another with public housing residents. Member Mondejar requested that youth and college students be considered for a focus group.
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that only one room in City Hall would be able to televise remaining Task Force meetings due to conflicting scheduling of other meetings in City Hall. He reported that the March 29, 2012 Redistricting Task Force meeting will be televised.
Member Mondejar reviewed with the Task Force the four concepts for ethnic outreach advertising. The Task Force agreed on concept C for finalizing the for ethnic outreach advertising.

Public Comment: None

6. **Approval of Redistricting Task Force Minutes of December 16, 2011, February 6, 2012, and February 11, 2012.** *(8:25 p.m. to 8:26 p.m.)*
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Melara, moved to approve the Redistricting Task Force Minutes for the meetings of December 16, 2011, February 6, 2012, and February 11, 2012 with corrections. The motion passed without objection.

Public Comment: None

7. **Process for Consideration of Citywide Maps.** *(8:26 p.m. to 8:41 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed the process it will use to evaluate proposed maps submitted on or before March 2, 2012 by members of the public. Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that individuals who have submitted proposed citywide maps will make a presentation at the March 7, 2012 Task Force meeting.

Public Comment:
Richard Ivanhoe suggested that the presenters provide written summaries with their presentations before the Task Force.
Alicia Gamez stated that she agreed that written summaries should be provided by the presenters. She requested that the Task Force keep Liberty Hill and the Valencia corridor in District 8.

Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, expressed concern about using Redraw SF. He stated that 10 years ago the software was user friendly and thousands of maps were submitted.
Patrick Carroll inquired if the citywide maps and written comments will be available on the Redistricting Task Force website.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, requested clarification as to whether or not amendments to the citywide map submittals could be submitted after the deadline of March 2, 2012. He also suggested the idea of having questions prepared for the presenters.

8. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** *(8:42 p.m. to 8:55 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed the format of its final determination, including whether to issue written findings or a report. Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner informed the Task Force that they need to include a final map and, at a minimum, a description of the neighborhoods and communities of interest that they kept together in each district.

Public Comment:
Bill Wilson stated that he really appreciated having the final report available on the Redistricting Task Force website and urged that there be a summary of the final report.
Chris Bowman stated that RedrawSF has statistics available to the public to review He also indicated that the CAVEC map could be used to show statistics.
Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, stated that he was approaching map drawing with the assumption that all districts would be up to plus or minus 1%. He stated that if 5% is used it will change the dynamics and requested that the Task Force keep the North of Market area whole.

9. **Task Force Member Reports.** (*8:56 to 8:58 p.m.*)
Vice Chair Lam reported that she and Chair McDonnell attended a meeting on February 29, 2012 in District 5, hosted by Supervisor Olague, and provided an update on the redistricting process to date.
Chair McDonnell reported that he had made a presentation on February 27, 2012 to a class at Hastings College of the Law for Professor Jim Sutton.

10. **Public Comment.** (*8:58 p.m. to 8:59 p.m.*)
Chris Bowman inquired if public requests to divide a neighborhood into two supervisorial districts limits the Task Force to a 1% or 5% deviation.
Deputy City Attorney Jon Givner responded that the Task Force can go higher than the 1% threshold if necessary to keep recognized neighborhoods together. The Task Force cannot divert from the 1% threshold specifically in order to keep recognized neighborhoods divided.
Andrew Bley, District 7 resident, inquired when the redistricting process will be completed and when the data will be available on the website.

11. **Future Agenda Items.** *(8:59 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.)*

Chair McDonnell requested that Mapping, Task Force Budget, Community Outreach, City Wide Map Presentations, Discussion on Final Task Force map and report, along with the regular items be on the next agenda.

Public Comment: None

12. **Adjournment.**
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
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Wednesday, March 7, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.
City Hall, Room 406

Regular Meeting

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

2. **Consideration of Citywide Maps.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will allow persons or organizations that have submitted draft Citywide district maps on or before March 2, 2012 to present their proposals. The groups that have submitted draft Citywide district maps include the San Francisco Association of Realtors, the Chinese American Voter Education Committee, and the developers of the Community Unity Map.

3. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 23, 2012. [attachment: Working Draft Map 2/23/12]

4. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** (Discussion.) The Task Force must complete redrawing district lines before April 15, 2012. The Task Force will discuss the format of its final determination, possibly including whether to issue written findings or a report. [attachment: 2000 Final Report on District Lines Drawn and Community Meeting Summaries]

5. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.

6. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities.

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments

include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

8. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action.)

10. **Adjournment.**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Monday, March 12, 2012 6:00 p.m.**
West Portal Elementary School
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Wednesday, March 7, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

Regular Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice-Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:25 p.m. On the call of the roll, all members were present.

   Note: This item was taken out of order.
2. **Community Outreach.** *(6:25 p.m. to 6:32 p.m.)*
   Vice Chair Lam reported that the Task Force would not be moving forward with either automated telephone calls or telephone surveys, but she suggested that the Task Force use community groups to conduct further community outreach. Member Mondejar reported that ethnic media print advertisements in ethnic media were being translated and should be ready for distribution by March 9, 2012. Member Pilpel requested that the Task Force receive a copy of the final version of those print advertisements. Vice Chair Lam raised the possibility of televising public service announcements regarding the Task Force's redistricting efforts.

   Public Comment:
   Steven Currier, Outer Mission Merchants Association and District 11 Council, requested that the Task Force also consider using community newsletters to distribute advertisements regarding its meetings.

   Note: This item was taken out of order.
3. **Task Force Budget.** *(6:33 p.m. to 6:35 p.m.)*
   Vice Chair Lam reported that Task Force's planned expenditures are within budget and that she would provide a further update at the March 12, 2012 meeting.
   Public Comment: None

4. **Consideration of Citywide Maps.** *(6:35 p.m. to 8:47 p.m.)*
   The Task Force provided an opportunity to Terry Valen and Fernando Marti, developers of the Community Unity Map, David Lee, Chinese American Voters Education Committee

(CAVEC), and Ron Kingston, San Francisco Association of Realtors, to make presentations about their proposed citywide maps.
Mr. Marti stated that the Community Unity Map effort started because the Filipino-American community was frustrated with the recently completed state redistricting process and how it split the Filipino-American community in San Francisco. He stated that even though the effort started with a local Filipino-American community of interest, the group has branched out and formed alliances with many other groups to develop this map. He stated that the map had received many individual and group endorsements. Mr. Valen summarized some of the recommendations captured in the Community Unity Map, including: placing the 55 Laguna Street project in District 5, keeping the Seacliff neighborhood in District 2, moving all of Russian Hill into District 2, proposing Divisadero Street as the boundary between Districts 1 and 5. With respect to the 55 Laguna Street project, he stated that it was part of Octavia-Market plan and that the proposal would also recommend keeping the LGBT center in District 8. He also clarified that the Community Unity Map would propose 16th Street as the boundary between Districts 6 and 9, placing more of the Financial District – including areas below Market Street in District 3, and keeping all of South of Market in District 6, including the area around the Transbay Terminal and Mission Bay.
Mr. Lee stated that the CAVEC map attempted to keep the population deviations between districts below five percent and summarized the map's proposals, including: placing Seacliff and Anza Vista in District 1; moving all of Russian Hill into District 2; moving Treasure Island into District 3 and moving the southern boundary of District 3 south of Market Street to reach the area around the Transbay Terminal; removing Crestlake from District 4 and adding it to District 7; capturing more of the Inner Sunset and UCSF in District 5; placing most of the eastern Mission district into District 6; removing OMI from District 7 altogether to keep the neighborhood entirely in District 11; adding the inner Mission District to and removing Portola from District 9; and placing all of Portola in District 10. He stated that the proposed map would not make significant changes to either District 8 or District 11. He stated that in developing this map, he used polling data and voter data – with the goal of trying to keep areas of the City with similar voting patterns together. He stated that this voting data captured communities of interest, although he also looked at existing neighborhood boundaries.
Mr. Kingston described the San Francisco Realtors map as the product of a comprehensive analysis. He stated that the map proposed keeping all of Russian Hill in District 2, moving Treasure Island from District 6 to District 3 to equalize population differences, and moving the area around the Transbay Terminal, Mission Bay, and South Beach into District 3. He described the proposed map as keeping OMI in District 7 and moving all of Portola into District 10. He stated that their process began with the San Francisco Realtors' map of San Francisco neighborhoods, and they also attempted to preserve ethnic representation in City elective offices, equalize population as much as possible, and unify communities that were split in the 2002 redistricting process.

Public Comment:
Margaret Wrench, Sunset resident, stated that she supported the Community Unity map. She stated that the best virtue of the map is that it is the product of a community-based process.
Mary Harris, Outer Merced Ingleside (OMI) Neighbors in Action and District 11 Council, stated that she supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force keep

OMI in District 11. She stated that the map reflects previous public feedback about District 11, although the map may require further minor modifications.
A female speaker, Chinese Progressive Association and Glen Park resident, described her association as representing residents in many areas of the City and including working-class residents, students, and seniors. She stated that she supported the Community Unity map because it was the outcome of an inclusive process.
Steve Currier, Outer Mission Merchants Association and District 11 Council, stated that he had not had the opportunity to participate in or review any of the proposed citywide maps. He stated that he was particularly concerned about the communities in the southeastern section of District 11. He stated that the Community Unity map is one of the better proposals, but that he also supported the Task Force's current working draft map.
Tess Welborn, District 5 action group, stated that she supports the Community Unity map. She stated that she was surprised that the Task Force's working draft map did not include any information about neighborhood organizations. She stated that she would also support the inclusion of 55 Laguna Street in District 5, given the involvement of Hayes Valley in the project. But she also stated that the proposed boundaries around Japantown may require further changes.
Mary supported the Community Unity Map, but that she also recommended that Westside Courts stay in District 5.
Rubin Viking supported the Community Unity Map.
Tad Buchner supported the Community Unity Map, but he did think that there should be tweaks around Western Addition and Japantown. He stated that he would also want to keep Duboce Park in District 8 and 55 Laguna Street in District 5.
Larry Griffin, District 5 native, stated that he has concerns about the Community Unity map – particularly the section concerning the northern boundary of District 5. He stated that this proposed boundary would disenfranchise the African-American community, especially around the Booker T. Washington center.
Pat Scott, Executive Director of the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, requested that the Task Force place the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, the Hamilton Recreation Center, and the Westside Courts housing project in District 5. She stated that these residents found it difficult to work with the other communities in District 2.
Marlene Walker, Cathedral Hill Neighbors, stated that her group wanted the neighborhood in District 5 instead of District 2. She also stated that she wanted the Cathedral Hill hotel site to stay in District 5.
An unidentified employee of the Asian Law Caucus supported the Community Unity Map, although he was concerned about the proposed boundary between Districts 2 and 3 that splits Chinatown.
Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, supported the Community Unity Map, although she would support keeping all of Japantown in District 5. She also stated that the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Hamilton Recreation Center, and Westside Courts Housing project should be in District 5 because that area has a different demographic than District 2.
Jason Fraser, Tenderloin resident, supported the Community Unity Map in relation to the Tenderloin and the need to recognize SROs as communities of interest. He stated that the map represents many people and groups in the City.
June, Filipino City Center #11, supported the Community Unity Map.

Kim Jackson, Local 2 member and District 4 resident who works in the Tenderloin, supported the Community Unity Map.
Hai Lee stated that she works on affordable housing issues and works with many seniors, immigrants, and working-class tenants. She supported the Community Unity Map process. She also stated that affordable housing is an interest that runs through the Tenderloin, Mission, and Bernal Heights neighborhoods.
Charlie Shamas stated that he is a resident of District and works in District 9, at PODER. He supported the Community Unity map. He stated that he saw many of his neighbors involved in that process.
Christina Cavareal, resident of the area around the Excelsior/Portola border, stated that she has observed the decline of neighborhoods and communities of interest in San Francisco. She stated that she also works at Coleman Advocates and through that work has found that affordable housing, schools, and keeping working-class families together are all important concerns in District 11.
Jane Martin supported the Community Unity Map, and requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10.
Jesus Perez, resident of District 6 and South of Market, supported the Community Unity map.
Angelica, resident of District 10 and SOMCAN representative, supported the Community Unity map. She stated that the map properly represents communities of interest in District 6.
Peter Cohen, District 8 Democratic Club, supported the Community Unity Map. He stated that the map represents neighborhoods and communities of interest.
Steve Woo, Tenderloin Neighborhood Development Corporation, supported the Community Unity Map, particularly around the Tenderloin.
Shirley Breyer-Black requested that the Task Force to leave District 2 alone.
Patty Tomura, current and past resident of Districts 8 and 9, thanked the Task Force for their hard work, and stated that she supported the Community Unity Map. She also recommended that the Task Force preserve the northern border of District 8.
David Looman, District 9 resident, supported the Community Unity map. He stated that he was impressed by that map's process and results. He also stated his opposition to the proposed Realtors and CAVEC maps.
Richard Ivanhoe supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force take public support for that map into account. He also stated that he lives in District 5 and supports including the eastern part of Golden Gate Park in his district. He also stated that the Haight-Ashbury Neighborhood Council supports the Community Unity map.
Dr. Justin Morgan, District 5 resident, supported the Community Unity Map, so long as it is modified to include the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Hamilton Recreation Center, and Westside Courts housing project in District 5.
Karen Kai stated that the Community Unity Map did not reflect the correct northern boundary of Japantown. She stated that she would rather support the Task Force's working draft map because it extends the boundaries of District 5 to include Westside Courts and more of Japantown.
Calvin Welch stated the Community Unity map had more public input than the original district map for San Francisco.

Marc Salomon opposed the Realtors map. He also stated that the Community Unity map supporter did not sufficiently reach out to many communities. He stated that the map is too political and relies too heavily on small groups of nonprofits.
Chelsea Boilard, Excelsior resident and employee of Coleman Advocates, supported the Community Unity Map
Eddie Ong, Brightline Defense Fund, supported the Community Unity Map. He stated that the proposed District 1 properly includes the outer and inner Richmond, and excludes Seacliff. He also stated that the proposed District 11 boundaries respect the presence of union households.
Al Perez, Filipino American Arts Exhibition President, supported the Community Unity Map and stated that the map incorporated public comment provided at prior Task Force meetings.
Michael Tang supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force keep Sea Cliff in District 2.
Lori Liederman supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force keep the Inner Sunset in District 5. She stated that USCF and Golden Gate Park were important issues in that neighborhood.
Dennis Mosfogian, current and past resident of Districts 4 and 5 supported the Community Unity map. He stated that District 5 residents have worked on many common issues, including the neighborhood recycling center, the old Poly High site, zoning issues, and Kezar Stadium.
Alicia Gamez stated that she was concerned about the proposed District 8 boundaries. She said that her proposed citywide map started with Task Force's working draft map rather than Community Unity map, since the former incorporated the most public comment. She stated that she was also concerned that current maps do not equalize voting power across city by having too much variation in population.
Perry Lang, 30-year City resident, requested that the Task Force keep Westside Courts in District 5, keep Japanese institutions in District 5, and keep Potrero Hill in its current district.
Rose Hillson stated that neither the Community Unity Map and CAVEC map does reflect the public testimony the Task Force has received relating to Japanese-American communities and the appropriate northern boundary of District 5.
Oscar Grande, Excelsior resident and employee of PODER, supported the Community Unity Map and the process which was used to draft the map. He stated that the map addresses many of the Task Force's concerns regarding Portola and the Mission. He also acknowledged that the groups involved in the process could have and could still do more outreach.
Lois Scott, District 6 resident, stated that she was concerned about the area near the intersection of Districts 5, 3, and 2. She stated that she generally supported the Community Unity map except for that area.
Otto Duffy, District 6 resident, requested that the Task Force preserve the area North of Market Street and the entire Tenderloin as part of District 6. He stated that the Community Unity map places much of that area in District 3 in community unity map and that some of the other details in the Community Unity map need to be addressed.
Brian McWilliamson supported the Community Unity Map.
Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow, stated that he had not participated in any group mapping efforts. He stated that he was concerned about the proposed, new CPMC site on Van Ness Avenue and requested that Golden Gate Park not be divided between districts.

Katherine Howard, Golden Gate Park Alliance, stated that the Community Unity Map's division of Golden Gate Park had some merit because it has been historically conceived of as having eastern and western parts. She generally supported the Community Unity map.
Chris Bowman observed that many of the proposed maps include both Russian Hill and Seacliff in District 2, indicating public support for their inclusion. He also recommended that the Task Force closely examine the racial composition of current districts and they do not decrease their representation below their current levels.

RECESS

The Task forced recessed at 8:47 p.m. and reconvened at 9:02 p.m.

5. **Mapping.** *(9:02 p.m. to 9:47 p.m.)*
The Task Force received public input and did not modify the February 23, 2012 working draft map.

Public Comment:
Chris Bowman asked why groups submitted Citywide maps if the Task Force will just continue with its working draft map.
Bernard Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow, asked for legal advice on the Voting Rights Act.
Rose Hillson thanked the Task Force for the progress on the February 23, 2012 working draft map.
Charles Spencer, African-American Democratic Club, stated that he was concerned with the boundaries between Districts 1 and 5. He requested that the Task Force include Westside Courts, the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, and Japantown in District 5.
Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, stated that he has had problems using ReDrawSF. He requested that the Task Force preserve the North of Market and South of Market areas in District 6.
Marc Salomon supported the inclusion of Japantown in District 5. He recommended that the Task Force take future development and population growth into account, especially in District 6. He also supported continuing work on the Task Force's draft map.
Dr. Justin Morgan expressed confidence in the Task Force's work. He stated that the northern portion of District 5 should include Westside Courts, the Booker T. Washington Community Service Cener, Hamilton Recreation Center, and other Japanese American institutions in the area.
Kristne Zayback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, does not support the wholesale adoption of any of the citywide maps. She urged the Task Force to keep using its working draft map.
Tess Welborn thanked the Task Force for its work.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force not adopt district boundaries with disparate populations
An unidentified speaker supported re-uniting Japantown with the Fillmore and Western Addition communities. The speaker stated that there was a long history of common interests, especially with respect to redevelopment.

6. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** *(9:47 p.m. to 9:55 p.m.)*

Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that Member Schreiber has offered to develop a process for the preparation of the Task Force's final report. Chair McDonnell will be making assignments regarding the final report in the near future. Vice Chair Lam asked that the final report include information for future Task Forces about budget issues. Member Pilpel asked that the final report include information about the Task Force's processes.

Public Comment:
Marc Salomon requested that the Task Force include a summary of trade-offs made in arriving at its final map.
Alicia Gamez agreed with the previous speaker's request.

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(9:55 p.m. to 9:56 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell reported that he had made a presentation to the Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) on redistricting.

Public Comment:
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force conduct more outreach to local youth.

8. **Public Comment.** *(9:56 p.m. to 9:58 p.m.)*
Chris Bowman
Marc Salomon

9. **Future Agenda Items.** *(9:58 to 9:59 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell requested that the Format of Final Task Force Map and Report and Task Force Budget, along with regular items of the Task Force appear, on the next agenda.
Public Comment: None

10. **Adjournment.**
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

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Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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2. **Approval of RDTF Minutes of February 17, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft February 17, 2012 Minutes]

3. **Community Outreach.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review current and future outreach activities.

4. **Consideration of Citywide Maps.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will continue to hear presentations by persons who submitted draft Citywide district maps on or before March 2, 2012. The Task Force will hear citywide proposals by Alicia Gamez, Chris Waddling, and Bernard Choden. [attachments: citywide map proposals by Gamez, Waddling, and Choden]

5. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on February 23, 2012. [attachment: Working Draft Map 2/23/12]

6. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** (Discussion.) The Task Force must complete redrawing district lines before April 15, 2012. The Task Force will discuss the format of its final determination, possibly including whether to issue written findings or a

report. [attachment: 2000 Final Report on District Lines Drawn and Community Meeting Summaries]

7. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.

8. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: outreach to ethnic media (Member Mondejar), outreach to neighborhood groups (Member Alonso), data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), budget (Member Lam), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

9. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

10. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action.)

11. **Adjournment.**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Saturday, March 17, 2012 10:00 a.m.**
Ella Hutch Community Center
1050 McAllister St.
San Francisco, CA 94115

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   Public Comment: None

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5. **Mapping.** *(7:02 p.m. to 9:08 p.m.)* The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the February 23, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the March 12, 2012 working draft map on the Redistricting Task Force website.

Public Comment:
Kristine Zayback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association President, stated that the West of Twin Peaks areas are a diverse community of interest with tremendous community outreach.
Steven Currier, District 11 Council and Outer Mission Merchants and Residents Association (OMMRA), requested that the Task Force include the Saddleback neighborhood and Walbridge housing projects in District 11.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force keep the Valencia corridor in District 8 for population reasons.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, reviewed the 1% deviation relating to the Russian Hill neighborhood. He stated that University of San Francisco should be united in District 1, Kaiser Hospital should be united in District 5, and Mission Bay should be united in one district.
Denise LaPointe, West of Twin Peaks Central Council, and Twin Peaks Improvement Association, stated that she was satisfied with the February 23, 2012 working draft map. She urged the Task Force to keep all of Twin Peaks Boulevard in District 7. She expressed concern with individual Task Force members submitting a citywide map contrary to community proposed submitted citywide maps.
Karen Breslin, Miraloma Park Improvement Association, stated that she supports the district map submitted by West of Twin Peaks Central Council. She urged the Task Force to keep Miraloma Park in District 7.
George Wooding stated the West of Twin Peaks area includes neighborhoods of families. He also stated that the West of Twin Peaks area has a common community of interest and should remain in District 7. He supports the February 23, 2012 working draft map.
Roger Ritter, Balboa Terrace Homes Association, requested that the Task Force keep Balboa Terrace in District 7. He supports the district map submitted by the West of Twin Peaks Central Council.
David Hooper, New Mission Terrace Improvement Association President, requested that the border between Districts 7 and 11 should be at Garfield.
Barbara Chionsin, Lakeshore Acres Improvement Club, requested that the Task Force keep Lakeshore Acres in District 7. A big issue for the area is San Francisco State University (SFSU) and being in District 7 helps them communicate with the administration at SFSU.
John Hentz requested that the Task Force keep the West of Twin Peaks area united in District 7.
Jim Wetzel requested that the Task Force keep Lakeshore Acres and Merced Manor in District 7.
Dr. Samuel Sobol requested that the Task Force keep Forest Knolls and Mt. Sutro Woods in District 7.
Judy Clark, The Woods of San Francisco, requested that the Task Force keep the current boundaries for District 7 as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. She stated that The Woods has been a neighborhood since 1977 and has much in common with its District 7 neighbors.

Paul Conroy, Ingleside Terraces, stated that the West of Twin Peaks Central Council map unifies Ocean Avenue. He stated that Ocean Avenue would be represented by one Supervisor rather than by two and would provide a better representation as projects move forward on Ocean Avenue.
Mary Harris, District 11 Council and Ocenview-Merced-Ingleside (OMI) Neighbors in Action, requested that the District 11 boundary be to Holloway and to keep the OMI united in District 11. She thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for the professional manner in which the meetings had been conducted. She also thanked the support staff of the Task Force.
Lynne Lynch, Merced Manor, requested that Merced Manor remain in District 7 and to keep communities of interest together in District 7.
Dr. Justin Morgan requested that the border of District 11 be at Holloway and not at Shields in order to keep communities of interest united.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force keep the Tenderloin Historic District united in District 6.
Judy Berkovitz, Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods (CSFN) and East Mission Improvement Association, stated that she had reviewed the February 23, 2012 working draft map and the San Francisco Association of Realtors map with the executive committee of CSFN. She stated that CSFN was not included in any of the redentions of the community unity map and that she was not aware of the community unity map until she attended the March 7, 2012 Task Force meeting. She requested that the Task Force keep San Francisco General Hospital in District 9 and that the eastern boundary be at the James Lick Freeway.
Claire Zvanski, District 11 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the OMI united in District 11 as a community of interest. She stated that all of OMI is a working class to lower-middle class neighborhood and that it should be kept together in one district.

RECESS

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6. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** (*9:08 p.m. to 9:09 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that he will be providing a draft of the final report with assignments to the Task Force.
Public Comment: None

7. **Budget.** (*9:09 p.m. to -9:15 p.m.*)
Vice Chair Lam reported that the Consultant contract has $47,000 remaining and that outreach is well under budget. Member Pilpel requested and the Task Force discussed televising future meetings. Kay Gulbengay, Task Force Clerk informed the Task Force that arrangements have been made to televise the March 29, 2012 meeting at a cost of approximately $1,800 for 5-6 hours.
Public Comment: None

8. **Task Force Member Reports** *(9:15 p.m. to 9:16 p.m.)* Member Alonso reported that he will be making a presentation on redistricting to the East Mission Neighborhood Association on March 13, 2012.
   Public Comment: None
   A male speaker requested that the Task Force continue outreach using social networking.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** *(9:16 p.m. to 9:54 p.m.)*
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   Ayes: 5 - Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Tidwell
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   Noes: 2 - Alonso, Pilpel

   Public Comment:
   Otto Duffy stated that the Task Force should let Member Pilpel present his map and criticize it if they disagreed with it.
   Chris Bowman stated that he was of several minds about this issue and described similar issues that arose during the 2002 Task Force meetings.
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5. **Mapping.** *(7:02 p.m. to 9:08 p.m.)* The Task Force received public input and made modifications to the February 23, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the March 12, 2012 working draft map on the Redistricting Task Force website.

Public Comment:
Kristine Zayback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association President, stated that the West of Twin Peaks areas are a diverse community of interest with tremendous community outreach.
Steven Currier, District 11 Council and Outer Mission Merchants and Residents Association (OMMRA), requested that the Task Force include the Saddleback neighborhood and Walbridge housing projects in District 11.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force keep the Valencia corridor in District 8 for population reasons.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, reviewed the 1% deviation relating to the Russian Hill neighborhood. He stated that University of San Francisco should be united in District 1, Kaiser Hospital should be united in District 5, and Mission Bay should be united in one district.
Denise LaPointe, West of Twin Peaks Central Council, and Twin Peaks Improvement Association, stated that she was satisfied with the February 23, 2012 working draft map. She urged the Task Force to keep all of Twin Peaks Boulevard in District 7. She expressed concern with individual Task Force members submitting a citywide map contrary to community proposed submitted citywide maps.
Karen Breslin, Miraloma Park Improvement Association, stated that she supports the district map submitted by West of Twin Peaks Central Council. She urged the Task Force to keep Miraloma Park in District 7.
George Wooding stated the West of Twin Peaks area includes neighborhoods of families. He also stated that the West of Twin Peaks area has a common community of interest and should remain in District 7. He supports the February 23, 2012 working draft map.
Roger Ritter, Balboa Terrace Homes Association, requested that the Task Force keep Balboa Terrace in District 7. He supports the district map submitted by the West of Twin Peaks Central Council.
David Hooper, New Mission Terrace Improvement Association President, requested that the border between Districts 7 and 11 should be at Garfield.
Barbara Chionsin, Lakeshore Acres Improvement Club, requested that the Task Force keep Lakeshore Acres in District 7. A big issue for the area is San Francisco State University (SFSU) and being in District 7 helps them communicate with the administration at SFSU.
John Hentz requested that the Task Force keep the West of Twin Peaks area united in District 7.
Jim Wetzel requested that the Task Force keep Lakeshore Acres and Merced Manor in District 7.
Dr. Samuel Sobol requested that the Task Force keep Forest Knolls and Mt. Sutro Woods in District 7.
Judy Clark, The Woods of San Francisco, requested that the Task Force keep the current boundaries for District 7 as shown on the February 23, 2012 working draft map. She stated that The Woods has been a neighborhood since 1977 and has much in common with its District 7 neighbors.

Paul Conroy, Ingleside Terraces, stated that the West of Twin Peaks Central Council map unifies Ocean Avenue. He stated that Ocean Avenue would be represented by one Supervisor rather than by two and would provide a better representation as projects move forward on Ocean Avenue.
Mary Harris, District 11 Council and Ocenview-Merced-Ingleside (OMI) Neighbors in Action, requested that the District 11 boundary be to Holloway and to keep the OMI united in District 11. She thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for the professional manner in which the meetings had been conducted. She also thanked the support staff of the Task Force.
Lynne Lynch, Merced Manor, requested that Merced Manor remain in District 7 and to keep communities of interest together in District 7.
Dr. Justin Morgan requested that the border of District 11 be at Holloway and not at Shields in order to keep communities of interest united.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force keep the Tenderloin Historic District united in District 6.
Judy Berkovitz, Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods (CSFN) and East Mission Improvement Association, stated that she had reviewed the February 23, 2012 working draft map and the San Francisco Association of Realtors map with the executive committee of CSFN. She stated that CSFN was not included in any of the redentions of the community unity map and that she was not aware of the community unity map until she attended the March 7, 2012 Task Force meeting. She requested that the Task Force keep San Francisco General Hospital in District 9 and that the eastern boundary be at the James Lick Freeway.
Claire Zvanski, District 11 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the OMI united in District 11 as a community of interest. She stated that all of OMI is a working class to lower-middle class neighborhood and that it should be kept together in one district.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 7:40 p.m. and reconvened at 7:56 p.m.

6. **Format of Final Task Force Map and Report.** *(9:08 p.m. to 9:09 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that he will be providing a draft of the final report with assignments to the Task Force.
Public Comment: None

7. **Budget.** *(9:09 p.m. to -9:15 p.m.)*
Vice Chair Lam reported that the Consultant contract has $47,000 remaining and that outreach is well under budget. Member Pilpel requested and the Task Force discussed televising future meetings. Kay Gulbengay, Task Force Clerk informed the Task Force that arrangements have been made to televise the March 29, 2012 meeting at a cost of approximately $1,800 for 5-6 hours.
Public Comment: None

8. **Task Force Member Reports** *(9:15 p.m. to 9:16 p.m.)* Member Alonso reported that he will be making a presentation on redistricting to the East Mission Neighborhood Association on March 13, 2012.
   Public Comment: None
   A male speaker requested that the Task Force continue outreach using social networking.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** *(9:16 p.m. to 9:54 p.m.)*
   Member Melara requested that an item regarding Task Force member's summaries of public submittals for each of their assigned districts be agendized for a future Task Force meeting.
   Member Pilpel requested that he be allowed to make a presentation to the Task Force on his submitted citywide map at a future meeting. The Task Force discussed this request. Member Melara, seconded by Member Tidwell, moved not to agendize a presentation of Member Pilpel's submitted citywide map. Member Leigh further amended the motion to replace "Member Pilpel" with "any Task Force member". The motion as amended passed by the following vote:
   Ayes: 5 - Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Tidwell
   Noes: 4 - Alonso, Mondejar, Pilpel, Schreiber

   Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Melara, moved that the Task Force not agendize, even as part of the mapping discussion, an entire citywide map proposal by a member of the Task Force. This would not prevent Task Force members from presenting proposals for a series of changes in a region of the City. The motion passed by the following vote:
   Ayes: 7- Lam, Leigh, McDonnell, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber, Tidwell
   Noes: 2 - Alonso, Pilpel

   Public Comment:
   Otto Duffy stated that the Task Force should let Member Pilpel present his map and criticize it if they disagreed with it.
   Chris Bowman stated that he was of several minds about this issue and described similar issues that arose during the 2002 Task Force meetings.
   Andrew Bley inquired if there was an issue in the past of a Task Force member submitting a citywide map.

10. **Adjournment.**
    There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Redistricting Task Force will a hold a special meeting as follows, at which time all interested parties may attend and be heard:

Date: **Saturday, March 17, 2012**

Time: **10:00 a.m.**

Location: **Ella Hill Hutch Community Center**
1050 McAllister Street
San Francisco, CA.

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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice-Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. On the call of the roll, Vice Chair Lam, and Members Alonso, Leigh, Melara, Mondejar, Schreiber, and Tidwell were noted present. Chair McDonnell and Member Pilpel were noted absent. Member Alonso, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to excuse Chair McDonnell and Member Pilpel from attending the meeting. The motion passed without objection.

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of February 23, 2012.** (*10:08 a.m. to 10:09 a.m.*)
Member Alonso, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to continue consideration of the Task Force Minutes to the next meeting. The motion passed without objection.
Public Comment: None

3. **Community Outreach.** (*10:09 a.m. to 10:12 a.m.*)
Member Mondejar summarized the status of the Task Force's print advertisements.
Public Comment:
Larry Griffin commended the Task Force for its outreach efforts and asked if the Task Force had contacted either the Sun Reporter or the Bayview about its advertisements.
Ace Washington expressed concern about media outreach, particularly with respect to African-American media outlets.

4. **Mapping**. (*10:12 a.m. to 11:56 a.m.*)
Vice Chair Lam provided an overview of the Task Force's process and thanked District 5 residents for their participation thus far.

Public Comment:

Dr. Justin Morgan thanked the Task Force for its work. He requested that the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center and Japantown stay in District 5. He stated that he was satisfied with the current working draft map.
Larry Griffin, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center Board Member, thanked the Task Force for keeping Japantown and other community institutions in District 5.
Barbara Wanger, Community Grows Executive Director, whose service area includes the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Westside Courts, Rosa Parks, and other District 5 community institutions, stated that she felt that all of these institutions should stay in District 5.
Jason Clark, District 5 resident, expressed several concerns about the current map. He requested that the Task Force keep the African-American and Asian-American communities together in Lower Pacific Heights. He stated that the Inner Sunset has more in common with the rest of the Sunset than the rest of District 5. He also noted that the University of San Francisco and the University of California San Francisco are split between districts. He also supported the map submitted by the San Francisco Association of Realtors, which addresses these university campuses.
Hiroshi Fukuda thanked the Task Force for including the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center and the Japantown institutions in District 5. He discussed the history of discrimination in the 1960's and 1970's relating to redevelopment that impacted these communities.
Carolyn Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, thanked the Task Force for its work, especially around the northern sections of District 5. She also stated that the Community Unity Map has a revised draft.
Jamie Choy, Seacliff resident and native San Francisco native, stated that his community is the Richmond; spends time there and has family there. He also objected to the economic rationale for keeping Seacliff in District 2.
Ken Prag, District 8 resident, asked the Task Force to keep 55 Laguna in District 8.
Pat Scott, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center Executive Director, thanked the Task Force for being so responsive to public input. She stated that redistricting was a good opportunity for her organization to connect with other community groups and the public.
Karen Kai said that the Task Force has been responsive to the Japan-American own and African-American communities. She stated that the Task Force's process has brought a younger generation into the process as well and she made a few minor suggestions to the current working draft map.
Gary Axel stated that 55 Laguna and nearby housing should be in District 8. He thanked the Task Force for the opportunity to provide input.
Chris Waddling expressed support for the Community Unity Map and his own map. He opposed the San Francisco Association of Realtors and Chinese American Voters Education Committee (CAVEC) maps because of how they addressed Districts 9 and 10. He stated that he opposed the split of Potrero Hill from Dogpatch. He also supported the inclusion of the Portola in District 9.
Jonathan Lee, Japantown resident, supported the current working draft map, especially with respect to the boundaries around Japantown.

Chris Gansen, Japantown resident, stated that the Japanese Community Youth Council (JCYC) belongs in Japantown. He thanked the Task Force for its work.
Donna thanked the Task Force for keeping JCYC in Japantown because it is an important part of that community.
Thea Selby, Lower Haight Merchants Association, thanked the Task Force for its open process. She supported the Community Unity Map, especially as to the southern border of District 5. She stated that 55 Laguna and the LGBT Center should be in District 5 because the Hayes Valley community has been at the forefront of working on the 55 Laguna project. She also opposed drawing the district boundary along Haight Street and recommended that the Task Force use Hermann Street instead.
Lawrence Lee, Lower Haight Merchants Association, stated that the Lower Haight community has spent a lot of time working on issues along Haight Street. He requested that the Task Force move the southern boundary of District 5 farther south to Waller Street.
Rob Anderson stated that the Task Force should focus on population, not on sexual orientation or ethnic composition of neighborhoods.
Erika Tamura thanked the Task Force for keeping JCYC in District 5 and for keeping the African-American and Asian-American communities together.
Seth Kilbourne, Open House Executive Director, is working on the 55 Laguna Street project. He stated that while the Hayes Valley and Lower Haight communities have supported the project, 55 Laguna should be in District 8 because it would provide better access to LGBT community services.
Ray Rudon, Hayes Valley resident, asked the Task Force to keep the LGBT Center and 55 Laguna in District 8 because they are all part of the same community of interest.
Marlayne Morgan, Cathedral Hill resident, thanked the Task Force for its work around the Cathedral Hill neighborhood. She also asked the Task Force to make further changes to the boundaries around the northeast section of the neighborhood.
Dan Doat, a District 10 resident and business owner who represents the Bayview Merchants Association, supported the Community Unity Map.
Hannah Hardy, District 5 resident, supported the Community Unity Map. She asked the Task Force to keep all of Haight Street in District 5. She stated that she supported the Task Force's work on the northern section of District 5 but not the southern section.
Dominica Henderson, District 10 resident, thanked the Task Force for its work on the northern section of District 5 but does not want the Task Force to move the western boundary of District 5 any further east.
Tim, North of Panhandle resident, stated that he was initially concerned about the map's boundaries around his neighborhood but that he currently had no objection.
Marthan Arivel stated that the Task Force should keep as much of the Inner Sunset in District 5 as possible, and stated that the neighborhood has had a good relationship with its supervisors.
Lauren Bailey, District 5 resident, thanked the Task Force for keeping the African-American and Asian-American communities together. She also supported the Community Unity Map and stated that 55 Laguna should stay be in District 5.
Robert Hamaguchi thanked the Task Force for its work on Japantown.
Christine Hall, a Twin Peaks resident in the southern area of District 5, thanked the Task Force for keeping her area in District 5. She opposed the Community Unity Map's

proposal with respect to this area from District 5 because it has more of a connection to 17th Street rather than District 8 on the other side of the hill.
Neil Sims, District 8 resident, thanked the Task Force for its work. He asked the Task Force to keep the LGBT Center and 55 Laguna in District 8.
Ace Washington, Western Addition native,
Western Addition native, thanked the Task Force for its work and cooperation with various San Francisco communities.
Chris Bowman thanked Task Force Members Leigh and Tidwell for Monday's work on District 5 and Russian Hill. He also recommended additional adjustments to Russian Hill, and the areas around the University of San Francisco Law School and the University of California San Francisco Dental School.
Rose Hillson, District 2 resident and member of the Japantown Organizing Committee, stated that she appreciated the Task Force's focus on the northern section of District 5.
Tes Welborn, District 5 resident, thanked the Task Force for its work on the northern section of District 5 but asked the Task Force to also move the southern border of District 5 farther south to include 55 Laguna. She stated that the 55 Laguna project has a lot of impact on District 5.
Nasi Edelman, Founder and member of Open House, asked the Task Force to keep the LGBT Center and 55 Laguna together in District 8. She described the history of LGBT senior issues.
Richard Ivanhoe stated that the Task Force should include more of Golden Gate Park in District 5.
Dan Ling, District 5 resident, recognized the efforts of the Japantown community and supported the Community Unity Map. He stated that 55 Laguna was more of a District 5 project because the District 8 supervisor was not as involved in the project as the District 5 supervisor.
Lois Scott, Laguna Heights resident, thanked the Task Force for being so responsive to public input. She also supported the prior comments from Marlayne Morgan.
Jason Fried, Cole Valley resident, supported the Community Unity Map. He also supported the District 5 northern boundary and the comments from Marlayne Morgan. He also supported the inclusion of 55 Laguna into District 5.
Richard Johnson, Community Partners United, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, Westside Courts, and Japantown together. He also asked the Task Force to look at the history of the 55 Laguna project.
Nathan Lozera, Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association, stated that 55 Laguna should be in District 5.
Stanley Watson, Open House Board Member, stated that the below market rate housing units in 55 Laguna will be targeted to LGBT seniors.
Hadley Hall, Open House, stated that he thought that one supervisor should be held accountable with respect to the 55 Laguna project, and he thought it would be appropriate for it to be the District 8 supervisor.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Association, spoke about the history of district elections in San Francisco. He also observed that Ella Hill Hutch was elected to the Board of Supervisors as a result of the first district elections in the late 1970's.

Vice Chair Lam asked the other members of the Task Force whether the Task Force wished to map at the meeting.
Member Schreiber stated that he did not want to create a new map, so that the public could process the last draft. He stated that he would propose further changes at the next meeting.
Member Alonso also supported waiting to create a further draft until the next meeting, especially given the absence of two members.
Vice Chair Lam announced that there would be no line-drawing until the next meeting.
Member Melara wished to discuss uniting the University of San Francisco and the University of California San Francisco campuses, Cathedral Hill, and Portola. She also wished to look at the Latino population in District 9 and the impact of the current working draft map.
Member Tidwell stated that 55 Laguna will require further discussion, as will the Inner Mission. Member Leigh stated that he would like to address the area immediately south of Anza Vista and the Pine Lake Park neighborhood, near Stern Grove. Member Mondejar stated that she wanted a further discussion about Cathedral Hill. Member Leigh stated that he also wanted to look at the area near the intersection of Districts 1 and 5 near Stanyan.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 11:27 a.m. and reconvened at 11:41 a.m.

5. **Task Force Work Plan.** (*11:56 a.m. to 12:00 noon*)
Vice Chair Lam stated that Chair McDonnell had circulated an outline of the final report.
Member Schreiber asked that the outline be added to the next meeting's agenda packet.
Public comment: None
Member Melara, seconded by Member Alonso, MOVED to continue this item to the next meeting. The motion passed without objection.

6. **Task Force Budget.** (*12:00 noon to 12:01 p.m)*
Vice Chair Lam reported that there was no additional information related to the budget.
Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Member Reports.** (*12:01 p.m. to 12:03 p.m.*)
Member Alonso reported that he had given a presentation to the Richmond District Democratic Club.
Public Comment:
Thea Selby, Lower Haight Merchants Association, asked for a presentation at her group.

8. **Public Comment.** (*12:03 p.m. to 12:07 p.m.*)
Tes Welborn wanted to respond to Member Leigh's question about the northwest corner of District 5 near Stanyan. She stated that the area should be moved into District 1, which is also a proposal made by the Community Unity Map.
Chris Bowman stated that the University of San Francisco Law School should be connected to rest of the University of San Francisco.

Van Lynch disagreed with the Task Force's borders around the University of San Francisco.
Hannah Hardy, District 5 resident, agreed with Tes Welborn's statement that the northwest corner of District 5 near Stanyan should be connected with the University of San Francisco and District 1.
Farah asked the Task Force about the incorporation of bus lines into its map.
Ace Washington expressed support for the Task Force's work. He announced that he would put together a video on the Task Force.

9. **Future Agenda Items.** (*12:07 p.m. to 12:09 p.m.*)
Vice Chair Lam wants to keep current agenda items. Member Alonso asked for the draft minutes to be added to the next meeting agenda. Member Melara asked for a list of the media outlets where the Task Force's advertisements are appearing.
Public Comment:
Hannah Hardy, District 5 resident, spoke about the dilution of the progressive community in District 5.

10. **Adjournment.**
There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:09 p.m.

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
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Saturday, March 17, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

Ella Hill Hutch Community Center
(Webster and McAllister Streets)
1050 McAllister Street
San Francisco, CA 94115

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Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

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Seat 1	**Eric McDonnell, Chair**
Seat 2	**Jenny Lam, Vice Chair**
Seat 3	**Mike Alonso**
Seat 4	**Myong Leigh**
Seat 5	**Sonia Melara**
Seat 6	**Marily Mondejar**
Seat 7	**David Pilpel**
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Seat 9	**Melissa Tidwell**

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of February 23, 2012. (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]**

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6. **Task Force Budget. (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will review its current budget and expenses.**

7. **Task Force Member Reports. (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).**

8. **Public Comment. Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.**

9. **Future Agenda Items. (Discussion and possible action.)**

10. **Adjournment.**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Thursday, March 22, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.**
United Irish Cultural Center
2700 45th Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94116

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San Francisco, CA 94116

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(Sloat Boulevard and Wawona)
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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar, David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:26 p.m. On the call of the roll, Vice Chair Lam, Members Alonso, Leigh, Melara, Pilpel and Schreiber were noted present. Chair McDonnell and Member Mondejar were noted absent. Member Melara, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to excuse Chair McDonnell and Member Mondejar from attending the meeting. The Motion passed without objection. Member Tidwell was noted present at 6:50 p.m.

2. **Approval of Tas k Force Minutes of February 23, 2012, March 1, 2012 and March 7, 2012.** (*8:45 p.m. to 8:47 p.m.*) Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to approve the February 23, March 1, 2012 and March 7, 2012 Task Force minutes with corrections. The motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment:
   Judy Berkowitz, Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods, stated that San Francisco General Hospital should be in District 9, not District 10, and requested that this be corrected in the March 1, 2012 Task Force minutes.

3. **Co mmunity Outreach.** *(8:47 to 8:51 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam informed the Task Force that Member Mondejar had provided a list of ethnic media publications that would be used for advertising the redistricting process and schedule. Member Melara inquired as to which neighborhood publications the advertisement appeared.
   Public Comment:
   Judy Berkowitz, Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods, requested that the Task Force do more outreach to the Portola district.

Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, suggested that outreach in the Portola district be distributed in Mandarin or Cantonese due to the large Asian population in the Portola.

Note: This item was taken out of order.

4. **Mapping.** *(6:20 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.)* The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the March 12, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the March 22, 2012 working draft map on the Task Force website.

Public Comment:

Tes Welborn requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5. She stated that if the LGBT housing was to be in District 8 that Waller could be the dividing line between Districts 5 and 8.

Mary Harris, OMI President and District 11 resident, requested that the Task Force keep Balboa Park and Chicago Way in District 11. She also requested that the boundary line for District 11 move to Holloway.

Rose Hillson, Japantown Organizing Committee, thanked the Task Force for making hard decisions and for keeping the Japanese American and African American communities of interest together in District 5.

Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, stated that the proposed California Pacific Medical Center, at Geary and Van Ness will also have a medical building site located in District 6. He requested that medical building remain in District 6.

Lori Liederman requested that the Task Force not move the District 5 boundaries any further east. She also requested that the Task Force keep the Inner Sunset in District 5.

Dennis Mosgofian supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force not shrink the District 5 boundaries. He stated that it would be beneficial to have more than one Supervisor responsible for Golden Gate Park and supported adding a part of Golden Gate Park to District 5.

Bernard Choden questioned the validity of the process and requested that the Task Force review voter registration lists for voting population. He also requested that the Task Force move the proposed California Pacific Medical Center to District 5 and keep the Japanese American communities of interest united in District 5.

Sally Ross, District 8 resident, requested that the Task Force not move the boundary between Districts 7 and 8 to Congo Street. She requested that the Task Force keep the boundaries as shown on the March 12, 2012 working draft map.

Karen Kai thanked the Task Force for keeping the Japanese American and African American communities of interest united in District 5 as shown on the March 12, 2012 working draft map.

Robert Laws requested that the Task Force keep 17th and Belgrave in District 5 as shown on the March 12, 2012 working draft map. He stated that this area of Upper Cole Valley has no community of interest with District 8.

Beatrice Laws requested that the Task Force keep the 17th and Belgrave area in District 5 as shown on the March 12, 2012 working draft map. She indicated that the south end of Cole Valley has a community of interest with District 5.

Lois Scott, Cathedral Hill Neighbors, requested that the Task Force use one block further north of Post and Van Ness Avenue as the boundary for District 5 to include the Daniel Burnham Laurel housing. She also requested that the Task Force move the proposed California Pacific Medical Center in District 5 and keep the Japanese American communities of interest united in District 5.

Mary Ann Miller, District 4 resident, requested that Task Force move the northern portion of District 4 into District 1 and this include move the southern edge of Golden Gate Park with the Sunset district. She also stated that by moving the lines south to Judah would help balance the numbers.

Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, requested that the Task Force keep Upper Cole Valley in District 5. He requested that the Task Force move the Cow Palace parking lot into District 10. Finally, he requested that the Pine Lake Park neighborhood north of Sloat Boulevard be in District 7.

Steven Currier, Outer Mission Merchants and Residents Association, District 11, stated that the Cow Palace upper parking belongs to the City and County of San Francisco. He requested that the area west of Santos and south of Geneva be included in District 11. This would include the Saddleback, Walbridge, and Stoneridge housing projects.

Denise LaPointe, Twin Peaks Improvement Association and West of Twin Peaks Central Council, thanked the Task Force for their hard work. She requested that the eastern boundary of District 7 be Twins Peaks Blvd, as it meets the criteria for geographic boundaries.

Cammy Blacktsone, Legislative Aide to District 4 Supervisor Carmen Chu, expressed concern with the Pine Lake and Stern Grove being in District 7 as shown on the March 12, 2012 working draft map. She stated Stern Grove has frequent problems addressed by Supervisor Chu, and that it would be difficult to have the north side of Pine Lake neighborhood in District 4 and Stern Grove in District 7. She requested that the southern border for District 4 be Sloat.

Chris Waddling, Portola Neighborhood Association and Bay View Community, requested that the Task Force move all of the Portola into District 9. He suggested moving the southern border to Mansell and moving the western edge towards Gambier into District 11. He stated that future development of the eastern shoreline requires representation by one Supervisor in District 10.

Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Association, stated that throughout the redistricting process communities have shown how they revolve around schools, parks, community centers, hospitals, and ethnic groups. He thanked the Task Force their hard work. He stated that the future of district elections will be made determined for the next decade by decisions made by the Task Force.

Claire Zvanski, District 11 Democratic Club, President, thanked the Task Force for their hard work during the redistricting process. She requested that the Task Force keep the OMI united in District 11.

Nancy Hayden Crowley, Lakeshore Acres Improvement Club, thanked the Task Force for listening to comments about leaving Lakeshore Acres and Merced Manor in District 7. She stated that these areas share communities of interest with San Francisco State University, Park Merced, Lake Merced, and Stonestown.

Edna James, OMI Community, President, stated that the OMI needs to be involved in the Park Merced project and San Francisco State University.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 8:30 p.m. and reconvened at 8:45 p.m. with Item 2 on the agenda.

5. **Task Forc e Work Plan**. *(8:52 p.m. to 9:12 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam reviewed the draft outline for the Task Force Final Report. She indicated that Member Schreiber will provide the Introduction, Criteria, and Process sections of the final report. Member Alonso will prepare the Summary of Themes. Member Pilpel will prepare the Lessons Learned. Vice Chair Lam and Redistricting Consultant Karin MacDonald will prepare the Final Map. Members Melara and Leigh will be the co-editors of the final report. April 6, 2012 will be the deadline for the first draft of the final report. Member Alonso requested that the deadline for the first draft be earlier and requested that this be discussed at a future meeting.
   Public Comment:
   Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, stated that some parts of the final report could be completed before the final map is completed.

6. **Task Force Budget**. *(9:17 p.m. to 9:18 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam requested that the Clerk update the Task Force on the future meetings. Task Force Clerk, Kay Gulbengay, reviewed the upcoming meetings to be held in City Hall and the costs associated opening of City Hall on Saturday April 14, 2012 for the final Task Force meeting. The Clerk reported that she had provided the estimate of $5,000 associated with the opening of City Hall on Saturday April 14, 2012 to Chair McDonnell. Vice Chair Lam informed the Task Force that Chair McDonnell had indicated that the Task Force would be meeting on Saturday, April 14, 2012 in City Hall. Vice Chair Lam requested the Clerk to reserve City Hall for the final Task Force meeting on Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. and that the meeting be televised.
   Public Comment: None

7. **Task Forc e Member Reports**. *(9:17 p.m. to 9:18 p.m.)* Task Force members had nothing to report.
   Public Comment: None

8. **Public Co mment**.
   Tes Welborn requested clarification about drawing lines that do not match city blocks and asked what did the brackets the around the census blocks on Van Ness Avenue represent.
   Otto Duffy, North of Market resident, requested that the Task Force keep the North of Market and South of Market as the core of District 6.
   Chris Bowman, 1995 the past Task Force member, stated that the brackets on Van Ness Avenue are traffic medians, and also stated that the census blocks should be consistent.

Judy Berkowitz stated that the March 12, 2012 working draft map shows a lower population in the north and west areas of the City and a higher population in the south and east areas. She stated that there should be a shift to under populate the south and east to accommodate future growth and development in this area.

9. **Future Agenda Items**. *(9:26 p.m to 9:28 p.m.)*
Member Alonso requested that a discussion of the deadline date for the draft final report be on the next Task Force agenda.
Public Comment: None

10. Adjournment.
The meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

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Member Mondejar and Member Tidwell were present at 6:20 p.m.

2. **Community Outreach.** *(8:20 p.m. to 8:25 p.m.)* Member Mondejar provided an update on the ethnic media outreach.
Public Comment:
Judy Berkowitz, Coalition for Neighborhoods, asked the Task Force where the public could access or review the documents and files of the Redistricting Task Force after the Task Force completed its work.
Otto Duffy stated that more effort should have been made to outreach to the Tenderloin area.

Note: This item was taken out of order.
3. **Mapping.** *(6:08 p.m. to 8:20 p.m.)* The Task Force received public input and did not make modifications to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.

Public Comment:
Megan Johnson, Animal House, Lower Haight resident District 5, requested that the Task Force keep the Lower Haight united in District 5.
Irene Crescio, Portola Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola united in District 9 with other communities of interest in District 9. She stated that the residents in the Portola have a community of interest with the neighbors in District 9.
Guz Feldman thanked the Task Force for listening to the diverse input from the public, which is reflected on the March 22, 2012 working draft map. He thanked the Task Force for keeping the Sea Cliff area in whole District 2, and for keeping the Valencia corridor in District 8. He stated that major changes to the working draft maps at this late stage of the process would be a disservice to those communities who have provided input from the beginning of the redistricting process.
Terry Jusino, Portola resident, showed a video from Portola neighbors
Requesting that the Task Force keep the Portola together and united in District 10.
Isabel Jusino, District 10 resident, showed a video from Portola neighbors
requesting that the Task Force to keep the Portola Portola stay together and united in District 10.
Dwayne Jusino, District 10 resident, submitted letters from the Portola community. He requested that the Task Force to keep the Portola united in District 10.
Jonathan Meade, District 10 resident, requested that the Task Force to keep the Portola in District 9. He is a Bayview Hunters Point resident and his communities of interest are in the Bayview not in the Portola.
Paul Hogarth, District 6 resident, requested that the Task Force move the northern boundaries of District 6 one more block west to include 875 Post Street located between Hyde and Leavenworth. He also requested that the Task Force move the southern boundary of District 6 further to include two of the largest SROs.
Thea Selby, Lower Haight Merchants and Neighbors Association President, requested that the Task Force keep one census block 3000/CT 168.01. She stated that this census block has no population and could be split. She requested that the Task Force include 55 Laguna in District 5.
Laurence Lee, Lower Haight resident, requested that the Task Force draw the boundary line for District 5 at Herman, and include 55 Laguna in District 5.
Tony Kelly, Portrero Hill Neighbor Boosters Association President, read a letter from a resident of the Portola and requested to keep the Portola in District 9. She supported the Community Unity Map.
John Rizzo, District 5 resident, commended the Task Force for its work for a good process. He stated that he supported the March 22, 2012 working draft map and keeping the northern Fillmore area united in District 5.
Jeanne Crawford, Portola District resident, requested that the Task Force include McLaren Park in the Portola district.
Jim Marks, Portola resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Peter Strauss requested that the Task Force keep the Lower Haight, Duboce Triangle and all the Haight united in District 5. He also requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.

Sally Ross requested that the Task Force make Congo Street the boundary between Districts 7 and 8. She requested that the Task Force keep the Sunnyside Nursery in District 8.
Tes Welborn District 5 Action Group, requested that the Task Force unify the Lower Haight in District 5. She also requested that the Task Force divide the census block of 55 Laguna, as there is no population, and move the northern part to District 5.
Bessie Eddy, Diamond Heights Community Association President, requested that the Task Force keep Diamond Heights united in District 8.
Alara Flin, A. Phillip Randolph Institute Outreach Specialist, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Kurt Grimes, A. Phillip Randolph Institute Program Manager, requested that thee Task Force keep the Portola in District 10 and do not divide a minority group.
Jackie Flin, A. Phillip Randolph Institute Executive Director, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10 as a community of interest.
Dedria Smith, District 10 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola and Potrero Hill in District 10.
Ferndando Marti, San Francisco Information Clearing House, Community Unity Map, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5, keep the Portola in District 9 and the southeast waterfront in District 10.
District 9 Supervisor John Avalos thanked the Task Force for its hard work.
He stated that goal of redistricting was to attempt to keep boundaries and neighborhoods intact as much as possible, and he stated that the March 22, 2012 working draft map does accomplish this.
He supported the uniting of the Portola. He requested that the boundary line between Districts 7 and 11 be at Holloway rather than at Shields. He stated that he was willing to give up Saddleback and Chicago Way to ensure that the OMI was united in District 11.
District 10 Supervisor Malia Cohen stated that she supported members of the community in keeping the Portola whole in District 10. She recognized the geographical barriers in keeping the Potrero Hill in District 10 but she will leave that decision up to the Task Force. She stated that there will be future economic development in southeast corridor waterfront area. She requested that the Task Force keep McLaren Park along with the Portola in District 10.
Richard Ivanhoe, Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council President, thanked the Task Force for its hard work, and requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5, keep the Haight united in District 5, and requested that the Task Force move the boundary line of the eastern part of the Golden Gate Park into District 5.
Dennis Mosogofian supported the Community Unity Map. He also requested that the Inner Sunset remain in District 5 and the eastern part of the Golden Gate Park be in District 5. He also requested that UCSF be in District 5.
Farah, San Francisco State student, requested that San Francisco State University be in District 11 and is a community of interest with District 11. Eihway Su, District 5 resident and Tennants Union Counselor, supported the Community Unity Map and important to support progressive neighborhoods for diversity.
Rose Hillson, Japantown Organizing Committee, requested that the Task Force keep the northern boundaries of District 5 as shown on the March 22, 2012 working draft map.

She thanked the Task Force for keeping the Fillmore and Japantown united in District 5 as communities of interest.
Dr. Yvette Fagan, NAACP Education Chairman, thanked the Task Force for keeping Japantown, Westside Courts and Booker T. Washington Community Service Center united in District 5.
Dr. Justin Morgan thanked the Task Force for their hard work and for keeping the Fillmore and Japantown areas and communities of interest of these two neighborhoods united in District 5 as shown on the March 29, 2012 working draft map.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force extend the northern boundary of District 6 to Post Street, and keep the North of Market and South of Market areas the core of District 6.
Eddie Kittrell requested that the Task Force keep Portero Hill in District 10.Benjamin Gonzalez requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino communities united in Districts 6 and 11.
David Lauman requested that the Task Force keep Bernal Heights, Portola San Bruno and McLaren areas in District 9.
Vallie Brown requested that the Task Force keep the Lower Haight area united in District 5. She also requested that 55 Laguna be in District 5.
Espanola Jackson requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10. She stated that Potrero Hill is a part of the Bay View Hunters Point community.
Calvin Welch supported the Community Unity Map. He also requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10, and to unite the Portola in District 9.
Kristine Zaback, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association President, thanked the Task Force for keeping the west side together in District 7 as shown on the March 29, working draft map.
Francisco da Costa expressed concern with the previous drawling of lines and how politics played a role in the final lines. He stated that housing, safety, schools and quality of life issues should be a part of the redistricting process.
Andrew Wood supported the Community Unity Map and requested that the Task Force keep McLaren Park in District 10.
David Hooper, New Mission Terrace Improvement, requested that the Task Force draw the boundary between Districts 7 and 11 at Holloway.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, suggested several changes to the March 29, 2012 working draft map, and discussed the deviation numbers of the March 22, 2012 working draft map and other city wide submitted maps.
Judy Berkovitz, Eastern Mission Improvement Association (EMIA), stated that the EMIA requested that the Task Force keep San Francisco General Hospital and the residential area between Portero and the James Lick Freeway in District 9. She also stated that EMIA requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.

4. **Task Force Work Plan.** *(8:25 to 9:26 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed the process and timing for completing its work. The Task Force discussed whether or not to summarize District's public submittals for the report. Member Tidwell stated that she was not comfortable with including summary of the public submittal, because it may suggest pre set opinions. Member Melara suggested that each Task Force members prepare a

paragraph summarizing each District and then the City Attorney would review and advise if there would be any legal reason not to include the summaries.
The Task Force asked Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee what should be included in the Task Force's Final Report. Deputy City Attorney Mollie Lee stated the following should be a part of the final report: population and variation from the mean, demographic information list of recognized neighborhoods, list of communities of interest and, if necessary, findings regarding contiguity or compactness
Member Melara, seconded by Member Leigh, moved that the Task Force members submit a draft of each of their respective sections of the Task Force's Final report to the Clerk on Tuesday, April 3, 2012 by 12:00 noon.
Vice Chair Lam will compile the documents and prepare a draft of the Final Task Force Report for review at the April 4, 2012 meeting.
The Motion passed without objection.
Member Alonso, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to complete the Final Map by April 5, 2012.
Member Alonso, seconded by Member Tidwell, moved to complete the Final Map April 5, 2012, but the Task Force could make minor changes after April 5, 2012,
The motion as amended passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 6- Alonso, Lam, Leigh, Melara, Mondejar, Tidwell
Noes: 1- Pilpel
Excused: 2 - McDonnell, Schreiber
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman suggested that the Task Force review the Charter language which refers to why they were created and what their duty is. He also requested that the Task Force include what issues they did address in drawing district lines are included in their final report.
Judy Berkowitz requested where the Redistricting Task Force files and documents will be stored once the Task Force has completed its work, and asked what will be in the files. She stated that the Task Force could make changes to the map up to the deadline of April 14, 2012. She also thanked the Task Force for their hard work.
Otto Duffy stated that April 5, 2012 is too early a deadline for a final map.

5. **Task Force Budget.** *(9:25 p.m. to 9:26 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam reported that there were no updates on the Task Force budget.
Public Comment: None

6. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(9:27 to 9:28 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam informed the Members that the Task Force has been receiving many media requests.
Public Comment: None

7 **Public Comment**. *(9:28 p.m. to 9:36 p.m.)*
Tess Welborn, District 5 Action Group, stated that the area of Anza Vista, now in District 2, might be where the current Supervisor of District lives. Otto Duffy, North Of Market Tenderloin Coalition Outreach, stated that the training sessions for ReDrawSf were insufficient, bad hardware, poor training and not a single map was drawn. He stated that the budget for the Redistricting Task Force was insufficient.

Judy Berkowitz, San Francisco Coalition for Better Neighborhoods, stated that the Community Unity Map did not have input from all neighborhood organizations. She also stated that ReDrawSf was useful to the public for drawing lines.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, stated that Re DrawSf was useful for the public in drawing lines. He also suggested several changes to the March 29, 2102 working draft map.
Benjamin Gonzalez requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community united in Districts 6 and 11.
Tad Buchner suggested that the Task Force have a final map in place, which could be tweaked in some way at the April 14, 2012 meeting. He requested that the Task Force move Portero Hill out of District 10 at this late stage of the process. This should have been brought up and discussed much earlier in the process.

8. **Future Agenda Items.** (9:37 p.m. to 9:38 p.m.) Member Melara requested that the consultant provide the demographics for the Latino population in Districts 9, 10 and 11.
Public Comment: None

9. **Adjournment.**
The meeting adjourned at 9:38 p.m.

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
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Wednesday, April 4, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

City Hall, Room 406
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Regular Meeting

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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

2. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and modify the working draft map developed on March 22, 2012. [attachments: Working Draft Map 3/22/12, Description of District Boundaries for 3/22/12 Working Draft Map]

   NOTE: The Task Force intends to substantially complete mapping during its meetings on April 4th and April 5th. The Task Force may make minor adjustments after April 5th, but it does not anticipate making major changes after that date.

3. **Task Force Work Plan.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force must complete redrawing district lines by April 14, 2012. The Task Force will discuss the process and timing for completing its work, including but not limited to interim deadlines for approving a final draft of the map and report.

4. **Task Force Member Reports.** (Discussion and possible action.) Individual members of the Task Force will report on their work assignments and discussions with members of the public or public officials concerning the Task Force's future work. Work assignments include: data (Member Pilpel), social media (Member Schreiber), ambassadorship (Chair McDonnell), and scheduling of meetings (Member Tidwell).

5. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

6. **Future Agenda Items.** (Discussion and possible action.)

7. **Adjournment.**

Next scheduled Meeting: **Thursday, April 5, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.**
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Wednesday, April 4, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

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City Hall, Room 406
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Regular Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam,
Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar
David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:19 p.m. All members were present.

2. **Mapping.** *(6:19 p.m. to 11:40 p.m.)* The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the working draft map developed on March 22, 2012. The Task Force agreed to post the April 4, 2012 working draft map on the Task Force website.
   Public Comment:
   Chris McMahon, representing Supervisor Scott Wiener, read a letter from Supervisor Wiener requesting that the Task Force make the boundary for District 8 at Herman and include 55 Laguna in District 8.
   Rose Hillson, District 2 resident, thanked the Task Force for keeping Jordan Park in District 2 and for keeping the Japanese American communities of interest united in District 5.
   John de Castro expressed concern separating Dog Patch area and Potrero Hill. He requested that the Task Force keep both united in District 10.
   Mark Mathews requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
   Dwayne Justino requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
   Terezihna Jusion requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
   Peg Coneley stated that she supports the Southeast Unity Plan, and she requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
   Al Sodoni, Anza Vista Neighborhood Association, President, requested that the Task Force keep Anza Vista in District 2 because they have been working closely with the District 2 Supervisor to address issues relating to the proposed construction of the Target store.

Kathleen Corbett, Russian Hill Community Association, requested that the Task Force make the boundary for District 3 at Union Street.
Tes Welborn, District 5 Action Group, requested that the Task Force move the boundary for District 5 to Hermann and include 55 Laguna in District 5.
Michael Nulty, Alliance for Better District 6 and Central Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force keep the boundaries for District 6 at Post Street and at Market Street.
Sally Ross requested that the boundary line between Districts 7 and 8 be Congo Street, as shown on the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Ruth Wallace, Portola Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola united.
Chris Waddling requested that the Portola remain in District 9, as shown on the March 22, 2012 working draft map. He stated that it is too late for the Task Force to make major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Earl Shadoux requested that the Task Force keep the Bay View Hunters Point area and all eastern coastline areas be united in District 10. He stated the March 22, 2012 working draft map does keep many communities of interest united, and he does support the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Michael Goulco requested that Task Force keep Glen Park united in District 8.
Earl Shuducks, Bay View Resident, stated that he supports the March 22, 2012 working draft map, and requested that the Task Force keep Glen Park united in District 8.
Barbara Gersh supports keeping the Portola in District 9. She requested that the Task Force extend the District 9 boundary to Mansell.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, made suggestions to the Task Force for dividing districts, and he stated that if the Portola remains in District 9 then the Mission will be split. He stated that both areas cannot be united without splitting one or the other.
Jon Nulty requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary for District 6 at Post and down to Market Street, and the western boundary for District 6 at Van Ness and move boundary from Minna back to Market. He stated that this will keep the North of Market united.
Peter Strauss requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5. He also requested that the Lower Haight, Hayes Valley and Duboce Triangle stay united in District 5.
Paul Hogarth commended the Task Force for their hard work, and he requested that the Task Force keep the Tenderloin united in District 6. He stated that the east of Leavenworth area has more in common with District 3 than District 6. He requested that the areas of Post, Leavenworth, Hyde, and Larkin be in District 6.
Jaime Whitaker, Russian Hill resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Transbay and Rincon Hill area in District 6. He also requested that Mission Bay remain in District 6.
Alicia Gamez, Liberty Hill Neighborhood Association, requested that the Valencia corridor not be divided and that the Liberty Hill Neighborhood remain united. She also stated that the March 22, 2012 working draft map did not address the issue of under population in the north/west section of the City versus the over population in south/east section of the City. She stated that this does not provide equal representation throughout the City.

Jim Salinas, Sr. requested that the Task Force keep the Mission united.
Kevin Cheng requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna united in one district with other LGBT communities of interest. He also requested that the Task Force keep Liberty Hill Historical District united in one District.
May Wong requested that the Task Force keep the area north of Silver Avenue in District 11.
Asha Safaiv supported the March 22, 2012 working draft map, and he requested that the Task Force place Chicago Way in District 11.
Dennis Mosfogian requested that the Task Force not. make any major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map. He stated that the Task Force has to take into consideration all the public testimony which the Task Force has already heard throughout the process and used to develop the current working draft map.
Richard Ivanhoe, Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council President, requested that the Task Force include 55 Laguna, Inner Sunset and east end of Golden Gate Park in District 5. He also stated that the Task Force should not make any major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
John Osaki, Japan Youth Council, Executive Director, thanked the Task Force for responding to the concerns of the Japanese American communities of interest in District 5 and for keeping them united in District 5.
Allan Manalo, Filipino American Redistricting Forum, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Filipino community united in Districts 6 and 11.
Ellen Zhou requested that the Task Force keep the Portola united.
Lori Leiderman thanked the Task Force for listening to the public testimony during the process and requested that the Task Force not make any major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Thea Shelby requested that the Task Force keep the Lower Haight and 55 Laguna in District 5.
Pastor Aurelius Walker requested that the Task Force keep the Portola united in District 10.
Theresa Duque requested that the Task Force keep the Portola, Visitacion Valley and Bay View Hunters Point united in District 10.
Richard Johnson thanked the Task Force for keeping Booker T. Washington Service Community Center and Westside Courts in District 5.
Steven Currier, Outer Merced Merchants and Residents Association, requested that the Task Force keep Chicago Way in District 11.
Supervisor Jane Kim thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for listening to all the public testimony to keep neighborhoods in District 6 united. She stated that there are many future planning developments which will affect all neighborhoods in District 6. She stated that residents in District 6 had expressed that the boundaries be from Market to Mariposa and include 16th Street and to include Mission Creek. She stated that the residents of Treasure Island do share services of District 6. She requested that neighborhoods be preserved as much as possible.
Eugene Tom requested that the Task Force not divide District 10 and keep the Portola in District 10.
Audrey Leung requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.

Hazel Lee requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Fernando Marti, San Francisco Clearing House and the Community Unity Map, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 9, keep the OMI united in District 11, and 55 Laguna in District 5.

RECESS

The Task Forced recessed at 7:45 p.m. and reconvened at 8:05 p.m.

Hiroshi Fukado, Japanese American Religious Federation, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Japanese American and African American Communities united in District 5.
Tommy Gallegos requested that the Task Force include Mansell Street in District 9.
Karen Flood, Union Street Business Improvement District, requested that the Task Force include east of Powell and south of Geary area in District 3.
Kristine Zaback, Forest Knoll Neighborhood, thanked the Task Force for keeping the West of Twin Peaks associations united in District 7.
Neil Sims, Open House, Board of Directors, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 8.
Robert Rusky thanked the Task Force for keeping the Japanese American and African American communities united in District 5.
Joe Boss, Dog Patch resident, requested that the Task Force include the UCSF campus, the SOMA and Mission Bay area in District 10.
Rosabello Safont, Member, Elections Commission, speaking as an individual, thanked the Task Force for their hard work. She requested that the Misison District remain united as a community of interest. She requested that the upper part of the Mission District to Duboce be included in District 9, and that the Task Force move the entire Valencia corridor to District 8.
Joanie Eisen, Potrero Hill Democratic Club, President, requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill in District 10 and keep the Portola in District 9.
Rema Breall requested that the Task Force make the northern boundary for District 5 at Bush Street.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force keep the northern boundary of District 6 at Post Street.
Jeff Bostic, South Beach Area Restaurant, requested that the Task Force keep all of the Mission Bay united in one District.
Jacqueline Flin, A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Alara Flin, A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force to keep the Portola in District 10.
Kurt Grimes, A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Suli Palika requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Paul Giannini requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10.
Kim-Shree Maufas, Member of the San Francisco Board of Education, thanked the Task Force members for their service to the City and County of San Francisco. She congratulated the Task Force on their dedication and commitment to the process.

Carla Fernandez, Latino Democratic Club, requested that the upper part of the Mission District to Duboce be included in District 9 and that the Task Force move the entire Valencia corridor to District 8.
Tony Kelly, Potrero Hill Boosters, requested that the Task Force not make any major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map this late in the process.
Jerry Chen requested that the Task Force keep Mission Bay and South of Market united in District 6.
Andrew Woods, Community Unity Map, requested that the Task Force keep Portola in District 9 and the boundaries of the Mission remain as shown on the March 22, 2012 working draft map. He requested that the Task Force not make any major changes to the current working draft map.
McKinley Ross requested that the Task Force keep the Portola in District 10 and that the Task Force not make major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Vincent Kent Lacky requested that the Task Force keep Portola in District 10.
Jesus Perez stated that he supported the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Eddie Aun requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill and Bay View Hunters Point united in District 10. He also requested that the Task Force not make major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map.
Michael Hammon requested that the Task force not make any major changes to the March 22, 2012 working draft map. He stated that the Task Force has heard so much public testimony and any significant changes to the map may cause a chain reaction.
Bradley Wedemeyer requested that the Task Force keep Potrero Hill and the Portola in District 10.
Supervisor John Avalos thanked the Task Force for their hard work. He requested that the District 11 boundaries remain intact as much as possible. He stated that he supported the Portola in District 9. He also stated that the OMI should remain together in District 11.

RECESS

The Task Force recessed at 8:55 p.m. and reconvened at 9:15 p.m.

3. **Task Force Work Plan.** *(11:40 p.m. to 11:49 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed the process and timing for completing a final draft of the map and report.
Public Comment: None

4. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(11:50 p.m. to 11:50 p.m.)* Task Force members had nothing to report.
Public Comment: None

5. **Public Comment**. *(11:50 p.m. to 11:54 p.m.)*
Otto Duffy expressed concern with the proposed northern boundaries for District 6.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, suggested minor tweaks to the April 4, 2012 working draft map.
Tommy Gallegos requested that the Task Force include Mansell Street in the Portola.

6. **Future Agenda Items.** *(11:55 p.m. to 11:57 p.m.)* Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force members that in order to meet the posting deadline, the April 5, 2012 agenda has already been finalized and posted. He stated that the regular items are on the April 5, 2012 meeting agenda.
   Public Comment: None

7. **Adjournment.**
   The meeting was adjourned at 11:58 p.m.

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Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of March 12, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) [attachment: Draft Minutes]

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Wednesday, April 5, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

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Regular Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam, Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:09 p.m. Member Tidwell was absent. Member Leigh, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to excuse Member Tidwell from the meeting. The motion passed without objection.

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of March 12, 2012.** *(6:11 p.m. to 6:12 p.m.)*
   Member Leigh, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to approve the minutes of the March 12, 2012 meeting with corrections. The motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

3. **Mapping.** *(6:12 p.m. to 10:58 p.m.)* The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the working draft map developed on April 4, 2012. The Task Force agreed to post the working draft map reflecting those modifications on the Task Force website.
   Public Comment:
   Supervisor Mark Farrell thanked the Task Force for its hard work. He stated that he has been working closely with members of the Anza Vista Neighborhood Association to address issues related to the proposed construction of the Target Store at the City Center. He also requested that the Task Force keep the proposed California Pacific Medical Center project in Cathedral Hill in District 2.
   Jacqueline Morri, District 9 and Portola resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola united in District 9.

Tom Pugh, Portola resident, thanked the Task Force for its hard work, and stated his support for the Task Force's March 22, 2012 working draft map and its inclusion of Portola in District 9.
James Bryant, Western Regional Director of A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force keep the Portola, Bayview-Hunters Point, and Potrero Hill united in single district. He stated that these areas should remain united as communities of interest with middle-class families and households.
Jackie Flynn, Executive Director of A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force unite Portola in District 10.
Laura Albert, Russian Hill Community Association, requested the Task Force draw the boundary between Districts 2 and 3 along Union Street.
Leona Bridges, requested that the Task Force keep Anza Vista neighborhood and the proposed California Pacific Medical Center Cathedral Hill project in District 2.
Eva Chow, District 2 resident, spoke about the Anza Vista residents' concerns about the City Center project and their communications with Supervisor Farrell about that neighborhood issue.
Tes Welborn, Lower Haight and District 5 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna project in District 5.
Dr. Justin Morgan thanked the Task Force for keeping the Fillmore and Japantown communities and neighborhoods together in District 5.
David Baker, North of Market Planning Coalition, requested that the Task Force keep the northern boundary for District 6 at Post Street because that has been the historical northern boundary for the Tenderloin.
Jason Henderson, Chair of the Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association Transportation and Planning Committee, requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna in District 5.
Mary Harris, President of Outer Merced Ingleside Neighbors in Action, requested that the boundary between Districts 7 and 11 be at Holloway Avenue.
Kurt Grimes, Program Manager for A. Phillip Randolph Institute, requested that the Task Force unite the Portola in a single district.
Jim Warshell requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna project in District 5.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Elections Task Force, proposed various changes to Districts 1, 2 and 3.
Seth Kilbourne, Open House, requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna project in District 8 because it would be closer to the LGBT community of interest in that district.
Alicia Gamez requested that the Task Force keep allof the Valencia Street corridor united in one district, instead of as the boundary between Districts 8 and 9.
Risa Teitelbaum requested that the Task Force keep the Valencia Street corridor united in one district. She also requested that the Task Force keep the Liberty Hill Historic District in a single supervisorial district.
Vallie Brown, Lower Haight resident, requested that the Task Force to keep all of the Lower Haight and the 55 Laguna project in District 5.
Chris Schulmann, member of Lower Polk Neighbors, stated that he supported the April 4, 2012 working draft map as it related to the Lower Polk Street corridor.

Nathan Drury, Portola resident, asked the Task Force to unit all of the Portola in a single supervisorial district.
Jim Marks, Portola resident, requested that the Task Force unite the Portola in a single district. He also stated that he did not think that District 9 would not be the best district for the Portola.

4. **Task Force Work Plan.** *(10:58 p.m. to 11:32 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed the process and timing for completing a final draft of the map and report.
Public Comment:
Tes Welborn suggested that the Task Force's final report include a description of how the Task Force chose their map-drawing process and a comparison of ReDrawSF and other alternative map drawing tools.
Chris Bowman suggested that the Task Force's final report include minority reports, description of districts and comparison of demographics, and lessons learned from the process that would be helpful for future Task Forces.

5. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(11:32 p.m. to 11:32 p.m.)*
Task Force members had nothing to report.
Public Comment: None

6. **Public Comment.** *(11:33 p.m. to 11:38 p.m.)*
Otto Duffy expressed concern with the changes made to Districts 3 and 6 as shown on the April 5, 2012 working draft map.
Tess Welborn reminded the Task Force that Supervisor Eric Mar supported dividing Golden Gate Park between districts. She also expressed her belief that neighborhoods should hold more weight than communities of interests when drawling district lines. Finally, she requested that census blocks should be changed when areas, such as the Presidio, become more residential.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Elections Task Force, thanked the Task Force for its hard work.

7. **Future Agenda Items.** *(11:38 p.m. to 11:39 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force members that the regular items will be included on the next meeting agenda.
Public Comment: None

8. **Adjournment.**
The meeting was adjourned at 11:39 p.m.

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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam,
Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar
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1. **Call to Order and Roll Call.**
   The meeting was called to order at 6:09 p.m. All members were present.

2. **Mapping.** *(6:11 p.m. to 9:39 p.m.)* The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the April 5, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the April 9, 2012 working draft map on the Task Force website.

   Note: The Task Force called a recess during this item at 7:55 p.m. and reconvened at 8:12 p.m.
   Public Comment:
   Michael Nulty, Central City Democratic Club, requested the Task Force move the northern boundary for District 6 up to Post Street because that it is the standard boundary for the Tenderloin.
   John Nulty also requested the Task Force move the northern boundary for District 6 up to Post Street, and generally requested that the district boundaries be as straight as possible. He also requested the North of Market area remain united in District 6.
   Teresa Dal Santo requested that the Task Force move the Yick Wo Elementary School back to District 3 from District 2, because most of the students attending that school live in District 3.
   Steven Currier requested that the Task Force keep Chicago Way in District 11.
   Tes Welborn requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna project in District 5, and that the Hayes Valley neighborhood should be kept whole.
   Joelle Kenealey requested that the Task Force keep Chicago Way in District 11.

John Rizzo, District 5 resident, requested that the Task Force keep the North of Panhandle (NOPA) neighborhood united in District 5 instead of split among three districts. He also commented on the irregular shape of District 5, and requested that the Task Force keep the 55 Laguna project in District 5.
Michael Dorsi, Lower Haight resident, requested that the Task Force keep the Upper Haight, Buena Vista Park and the Inner Sunset in District 5.
Kimerey Leung, NOPA resident, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5. She stated that the neighborhood shares common concerns on public safety issues.
Kathleen Courtney, Russian Hill Community Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping the boundary between Districts 2 and 3 along Union Street. She also thanked the Task Force for its hard work and professionalism during the redistricting process.
Supervisor Christina Olague, District 5, stated that she supported the March 22, 2012 working draft map because it kept the Japantown communities of interest in District 5, and NOPA in District 5. She stated that the she was comfortable with the current boundaries for District 8, but she does support keeping the 55 Laguna project in District 5.
Bernie Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow and District 5 resident, requested that the Task Force to examine voter registration in the proposed districts. He also requested that the Task Force place the area north of California Street in District 2, and that the Task Force add the area just south of Golden Gate Park - along Judah - in District 1.
Jim Cowan, NOPA resident, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Elections Task Force, referred the Task Force to a letter he had provided which listed several suggestions to the April 5, 2012 working draft map
Leela Gil, NOPA Association, President, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5 and to keep Turk Street as the boundary for the district. She added that the NOPA area has a common interest on public safety issues.
Larry Griffin, District 5 resident, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5 as it has become a distinct City neighborhood.
Dr. Justin Morgan thanked the Task Force for keeping the Fillmore and Japantown communities together in District 5. He also requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5.
Jarie Bolander, NOPA resident, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5.
Lois Scott, Cathedral Hill Neighbors, Board member, requested that the Task Force keep the proposed California Pacific Medical Campus project in District 5 and keep as much of the Cathedral Hill neighborhood together as possible.
Pat Scott, Booker T. Washington Community Service Center, President, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Booker T. Washington Community Service Center together with its community of interest in District 5.

Paul Hogarth requested that the Task Force not remove any portions District 6 above Market Street out of the proposed district.
Karen Kai, Japantown planning group, thanked the Task Force for its work in District 5, especially with respect to Japantown institutions.
Thea Selby requested that the Task Force to keep the Lower Haight neighborhood together in District 5 and "smooth out" the boundary for District 5, especially around the 55 Laguna project.
Evelyn Desolaki, YMCA, stated that she works in OMI and requested that the Task Force not remove any other portions of the OMI from the proposed District 11.
Mary Harris, Outer Merced Ingleside Neighbors in Action, President, requested that the Task Force keep the OMI communities of interest united in District 11 and the boundary line for District 11 at Holloway.
Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, thanked the Task Force for its hard work during the redistricting process. She also thanked the Task Force for moving the northern boundary of District 5 to include Booker T. Washington, Westside Courts and JCYC.
She also requested that the Task Force keep the area east of Leavenworth Street in District 3 to keep the Chinatown communities of interest united in District 3.
Otto Duffy, Central City Democrats, requested that the Task Force include more of the North of Market area in District 6 and that the northern boundary for District 6 be placed at Post Street.
Angelina Cabade, SOMCAN, requested that the Task Force move the boundary between Districts 6 and 9 from 14th Street to 15th Street, in order to keep the Filipino-American community of interest in that area together.

3. **Task Force Map and Report.** *(9:39 p.m. to 10:01 p.m.)* The Task Force discussed and reviewed the proposed approach to its final report.
Public Comment: None

4. **Task Force Budget.** *(10:02 p.m. to 10:10:07 p.m.)* Vice Chair Lam reviewed with the Task Force members the current budget, expenditures, and outstanding costs associated with the Task Force.
Public Comment:
Chris Bowman asked whether the budget would allow the Task Force to produce hard-copies of itsFinal Report for the public.

5. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(10:07 p.m. to 10:08 p.m.)*
Task Force members had nothing to report.
Public Comment: None

6. **Public Comment.** *(10:08 p.m. to 10:13 p.m.)*
Otto Duffy, Central City Democrats, stated that the changes to District 6 will render the area more politically conservative and observed that one of the blocks moved in that area is also part of a historic district.

Glen Van Lane, District 5 resident, requested that the Department of Elections begin to identify neighborhood groups for outreach purposes before the next redistricting process even begins. He also stated that the next Task Force might want to start the redistricting process farther in advance of its deadline.
Chris Bowman, member of the 1995 Task Force, stated that the Task Force had made three major accomplishments to the working draft map in the Inner Mission, Portola and Crocker-Amazon areas. He also suggested more changes to the April 5, 2012 working draft map.

7. **Future Agenda Items.** *(10:14 p.m. to 10:15 p.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force members that the April 11, 2012 agenda has already been finalized in order to meet notice requirements. Member Melara requested that an item relating to a future press conference be included on the April 14, 2012 agenda. Member Schreiber requested that an item relating to finalizing outstanding Task Force minutes also be included on the April 14, 2012 agenda.
Public Comment: None

8. **Adjournment.**
The meeting was adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

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REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO
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Monday, April 11, 2012 - 6:00 p.m.

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City Hall, Room 416
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102

Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam,
Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar
David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**
The meeting was called to order at 6:09 p.m. Member Leigh was present at 6:12 p.m.

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of March 17, 2012 and March 22, 2012.**
(6:12 p.m. to 6:13 p.m.) Member Melara, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to approve the minutes for the meetings of March 17, 2012 and March 22, 2012. The motion passed without objection.
Public Comment: None

3. **Mapping.** *(6:14 p.m. to 11:15 p.m.)* The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the April 9, 2012 working draft map. The Task Force agreed to post the April 11, 2012 working draft map to the Task Force website.
Note: The Task Force called a recess twice during this item. It recessed at 8:10 p.m. and reconvened at 8:28 p.m. and recessed at 10:18 p.m. and reconvened at 10:35 p.m.
Public Comment:
District 11 Supervisor John Avalos thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for listening to public input. He thanked them for not making drastic changes to districts and trying to keep districts intact as much as possible. He requested that the Task Force keep north of Cayuga and northeast of Tingley in District 11.
District 5 Supervisor Christine Olague provided the Task Force copies of correspondence she received from residents of District 5 requesting that NOPA remain in District 5. She stated a preference for keeping precincts that have historically been in District 5 instead of adding new precincts to District 5. She stated that 55 Laguna could be in District 5 or District 8 as either Supervisor will respond to future issues related to the proposed project. She requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.

Reverend Will Scott thanked t he Task Force for keeping North of the Panhandle and St. Cyprians Episcopal church in District 5.
Lisa Spinali, Sunnyside Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Sunnyside neighborhood in District 8.
Jaime Whitaker thanked the Task Force for keeping the SOMA and Tenderloin area intact in District 6.
Caroline Hsu, Asian Law Caucus, thanked the Task Force for keeping District 5 communities of interest united in District 5, and for keeping Yick Wo in District 3
J. Desai requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Mary Stoepper requested that the Task Force keep the Panhandle area united in District 5.
Mary Ellen Briscoe requested that the Task Force keep Fell Street between Masonic and Stanyan in District 5.
Karen Fishikin requested that the Task Force keep Fell Street from Masonic and Stanyan in District 5 with NOPA (North of Panhandle Association).
Doug Comstock requested that the Task Force keep Fell Street from Masonic and Stanyan in District 5 with NOPA.
Gary Selintick, Guerrero/Duncan resident, requested that the Task Force keep the block shown on the screen with District 8 instead of District 9.
Steven Currier, Outer Merced Merchants and Residents Association, thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for keeping Chicago Way in district 11.
Joelle Kenealey thanked the Task Force for keeping Chicago Way in District 11.
Monica Yungela thanked the Task Force for keeping Chicago Way in District 11.
Jarie Bolander requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Allan Manulo, Filipino Arts Media, thanked the Task Force for keeping most of the Filipino Community united in District 6, and he requested that the Task Force extend the boundaries for District 6 to 15th Street between Harrison and Valencia Streets.
John Osaki, Executive Director of Japanese Youth Council, thanked the Task Force for their tireless efforts and for being responsive and listening to the community. He urged the Task Force to adopt the April 9, 2012 working draft map.
Jim Cowan requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Kristine Zaback thanked the Task Force for being responsive to the residents of District 7 and for keeping communities of interest united in District 7.
John Nulty stated that the April 9, 2012 working draft has a good balance for District 6. He also thanked the Task Force for keeping the North of Market united in District 6 and urged the Task Force to add a few more blocks from Geary.
Chris Bowman, past 1995 Task Force member, made suggestions to the Task Force for drawing lines for Districts 1 2, 3 and 8.
Larry Griffin requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Jim Worshell requested that the Task Force keep NOPA and 55 Laguna in District 5.
Charlie Chumas requested that the Task Force keep Tingley and Cayuga in District 11.
Michael Sanchez requested that the Task Force keep Cayuga in District 11.
Ron Kingston, San Francisco Association of Realtors, urged the Task Force to consider moving the NOPA block back to District 1, add more blocks to Sea Cliff, and restore the Financial District south of Market.

Tad Bachner requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5. He also requested that the Anza Vista neighborhood remain in District 2.
Fionna Clark requested that the Task Force keep the area east of Masonic in District 5.
District 3 Supervisor David Chiu thanked the Task Force for its tremendous service and congratulated them on a wonderful process and for listening to public input. He stated that whatever decisions made by the Task Force that he looks forward to serving his constituents. He requested that the Task Force keep the current boundary line for Russian Hill as shown on the April 9, 2012 working draft map.
Supervisor Mark Farrell thanked the Task Force for its time and effort during the redistricting process. He thanked the Task Force for keeping Anza Vista neighborhood in District 2. He outlined the core areas of District 2 as Jordan Park, Laurel Heights, Lake Street corridor, and Sea Cliff. He expressed hope that these areas remain in District 2 and stated that wherever the lines are drawn he is looking forward to serving his constituents.
Tes Welborn requested that the Task Force not make major changes to the April 9, 2012 working draft map. She urged the Task Force to keep North of the Panhandle in District 5. She stated that neighborhoods should not be destroyed in order to make another neighborhood whole.
Purvi A. Sahur, NOPA Board member, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Matt Duffy stated that the annex of District 1 in NOPA would hurt both districts and requested that the Task Force not split communities of interest in District 1. He stated if the Task Force needs to add population to District 1, it could look to Sea Cliff, Anza Vista, or elsewhere.
Tommy Gallegos thanked the Task Force for keeping Portola united in District 9.
Alicia Gamez thanked the Task Force for unifying the northeast corner of the Mission District by extending the boundaries all the way up to the Freeway. She expressed concern that the northwest corner of the Mission had been carved out, and she requested that this area be reunited with the Mission District.
Richard Ivanhoe, Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council, requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Joe Boss requested that the Task Force keep the southern boundary of District 6 at 16th Street to include UCSF, Mission Bay and future medical facilities in District 6.
Patty Quinlan requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
Otto Duffy urged the Task Force not to divide the Tenderloin and stated that he did not support keeping the Transbay area in District 6.
Denise La Pointe thanked the Task Force for listening to the residents of District 5, 8, and 7 and keeping communities of interest united in these districts. She also thanked the Advancement Project and stated that it was very helpful to have the map on line after every meeting. She urged the Task Force to adopt the map with the current lines.
Sally Ross requested that the Task Force keep the Sunnyside Conservatory in District 8.
Mark Caswell requested that the Task Force keep the Masonic and Fulton area in District 5.
Farah requested that the Task Force keep Panhandle in District 5. She stated that she was speaking on behalf of her professor David Lee, who does not want the Panhandle in District 1 because it would hurt the Asian community in District 1.

Hannah Hardy requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.
London Breed requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5.

4. **Task Force Map and Report.** *(11:15 p.m. to 12:46 a.m.)* Task Force reviewed and made modifications to the draft Final Report for approval on April 14, 2012.
Public Comment:
Bradley Wedemeyer suggested that the Task Force include data in the Final Report relating to the number of meetings and how successful the process was in conducting outreach to the community.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, suggested that there be earlier deadlines for requesting funding and completing the mapping process, so that voters know their districts in advance of the signature-in-lieu deadlines. Otto Duffy stated that it would have been helpful to have had more explanation about population deviation rules and variances from 1% to 5%.
Tes Welborn requested that the Final Report include recognized neighborhoods including institutions and expressed curiosity about why this would not include communities of interest.

5. **Task Force Member Reports.** *(12:46 a.m. to 12:46 a.m.)* Task Force members had nothing to report.
Public Comment: None

6. **Public Comment.** *(12:47 a.m. to 12:54 a.m.)*
Paul Hogarth requested that the Task Force include the Bristol Hotel and the eastern half of Hallidae Plaza in District 6 to keep SROs united in District 6.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force include both blocks of Hallidae Plaza in District 6 to keep SROs united in District 6.
Bradley Wedemeyer agreed with the previous speakers' suggestions to keep SROs united in District 6. He also stated that Market Street is an artery through the central business district and the District 3 line should extend further south. He expressed concern that some districts are under populated.
Chris Bowman, 1995 past Task Force member, disagreed with the previous suggestions regarding Hallidie Plaza. He suggested that both sides of the Union Square Business District be in District 3.

7. **Future Agenda Items.** *(12:54 am. to 12:54 a.m.)*
Chair McDonnell informed the Task Force that the regular items will be on the next agenda.
Public Comment: None

8. **Adjournment.**
The meeting was adjourned at 12:55 a.m.

REDISTRICTING TASK FORCE
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AGENDA

Saturday, April 14, 2012 - 10:00 a.m.

City Hall, Room 400
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
San Francisco, CA 94102

Special Meeting

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call**

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Seat 1	Eric McDonnell, Chair
Seat 2	Jenny Lam, Vice Chair
Seat 3	Mike Alonso
Seat 4	Myong Leigh
Seat 5	Sonia Melara
Seat 6	Marily Mondejar
Seat 7	David Pilpel
Seat 8	Mark Schreiber
Seat 9	Melissa Tidwell

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2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes of March 29, 2012.** (Discussion and possible action.) NOTE: Draft March 29, 2012 minutes will be available on the Task Force's website, at www.sfgov.org/rdtf prior to the meeting.

3. **Approval of Remaining Task Force Meeting Minutes.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will discuss how it will review and approve its minutes for its meetings held on April 4, April 5, April 9, April 11, and April 14, 2012, including the possible delegation of final review and approval of these meeting minutes to the Chair.

4. **Mapping.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will hear public input and may modify the working draft map developed on April 11, 2012. [attachments: Working Draft Map 4/9/12, Description of District Boundaries for 4/9/12 Working Draft Map]

   NOTE: At its Wednesday, April 11 meeting, the Task Force may make further modifications to its April 9, 2012 working draft map. The working draft map considered at this meeting will be available on the Task Force's website, at www.sfgov.org/rdtf/.

5. **Task Force Map and Report.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force must complete redrawing district lines by April 14, 2012. The Task Force will discuss, review, and potentially adopt its final map and report. [attachments: Draft Task Force Report]

6. **Press Conference.** (Discussion and possible action.) The Task Force will discuss and potentially approve a future press conference to discuss and present the Task Force's final map and report.

7. **Task Force Budget.** (Discussion.) The Task Force will review its budget and expenses.

8. **Public Comment.** Members of the public may address the Task Force on matters that are within the Task Force's jurisdiction, but not on today's agenda.

9. **Adjournment.**

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Special Meeting

Members: Chair Eric McDonnell, Vice Chair Jenny Lam,
Mike Alonso, Myong Leigh, Sonia Melara, Marily Mondejar
David Pilpel, Mark Schreiber, Melissa Tidwell

1. **Call to Order and Roll Call.**
   The meeting was called to order at 10:20 a.m. All members were present.

2. **Approval of Task Force Minutes.** *(10:20 a.m. to 10: 22 p.m.)*
   Member Tidwell, seconded by Member Malara moved to approve the minutes for the March 29, 2012 meeting with corrections. The motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

3. **Approval of Remaining Task Force Meeting Minutes.** *(10:21 p.m. to 10:23 p.m.)*
   Member Alonso, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to delegate Chair McDonnell to review and approve the minutes for April 4, April 5, April 9, April 11 and April 14, 2012. The motion passed without objection.
   Public Comment: None

4. **Mapping.** *(10:24 p.m.to 2:47 p.m.) (5:40 p.m. to 5:52 p.m.)*
   The Task Force heard public input and made modifications to the April 11, 2012 working draft map. Member Alonso, seconded by Member Leigh, moved to adopt the Final Map dated April 14, 2102. The motion passed by the following vote:
   Ayes: 9 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, Melara, Mondejar, McDonnell, Pilpel, Schreiber, Tidwell

Note: The Task Force recessed at 12:10 p.m. and reconvened at 12:27 p.m.
The Task Force recessed at 2:08 p.m. and reconvened at 2:47 p.m.

Public Comment:
Jim Salinas, Sr., San Francisco Latino Democratic Club, requested that the Task Force unify the Mission District as a historic district and recognized neighborhood, with a northern border that extends to the freeway. He thanked the Task Force for its efforts and hard work during the redistricting process.
Sally Ross requested that the Task Force keep the Sunnyside Nursery in District 8.
Richard Goldman, Sunnyside Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for keeping Sunnyside Neighborhood Association united in District 7 and presented a map showing the boundaries of Sunnyside Neighborhood Association and Glen Park Neighborhood Association.
Paul Hogarth thanked the Task Force for keeping the Tenderloin united, as much as possible, in District 6. He requested that the Task Force move the Bristol Hotel, an SRO at 56 Mason, back to District 6.
Kevin Stull requested that the Task Force keep the Bristol Hotel in District 6.
Michael Nulty, Executive Vice President, Alliance for a Better District 6, requested that the Task Force keep the blocks surrounding Hallidae Plaza in District 6 including the Bristol Hotel. He also requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Lawrence Li thanked the Task force for making the southern boundary for District 5 Herman Street. He also requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Rita Wilson, Sunnyside Neighborhood Association, requested that the Task Force keep the Sunnyside Neighborhood Association united in District 7 with other Sunnyside neighborhood communities of interest.
Larry Griffin thanked the Task Force for keeping Booker T. Community Service Center, Hamilton Recreation Center and the Japantown communities of interest and NOPA united in District 5. He thanked the Task Force for its hard work and diligence during the redistricting process.
Rose Hillson, Japantown Organizing Committee and resident of District 2, thanked the Task Force for keeping the Japantown communities of interest united in District 5.
Bruno Peguese, Sr. Warden, St. Cyprian Episcopalian Church, commended the Task Force for its hard work and requested that the Task Force keep St. Cyprian Church in District 5.
Bernie Choden, San Francisco Tomorrow and Japantown Organizing Committee, provided an overview of districts 1, 2 and 5 for cohesive testing for communities of interest in those districts. He requested that the California Pacific Medical Center proposed project be in District 5.
Sharon Eberhardt, Vice President, District 11 Council, and resident of Caygua Terrace for 42 years, thanked the Task Force for listening and hearing the public. She thanked the Task Force keeping communities of interest united in District 11. She also thanked the staff and consultants for providing information to the public in a timely manner.
Marcell Brown, Central City SRO Collaborative, requested that the Task Force keep the Bristol Hotel in District 6.
Lois Scott, Cathedral Hill Neighborhood Association, expressed disappointment that Cathedral Hill is still split and requested that the California Pacific Medical Center project be in District 5.
Thea Selby thanked the Task Force for putting the border of District 5 at Hermann and requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.

Lisa Shen, Lower Haight Merchants, requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Pierre Pegeron requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Peter Strauss requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Steven Currier thanked the Task Force for its hard work and for keeping communities of interest united in District 11. He also thanked the Task Force for keeping Chicago Way and Latham in District 11.
Dick Vivian requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5.
Clinton Womack thanked the Task Force for keeping NOPA (North of Panhandle Association) in District 5. He also requested that the boundary for District 5 be at Turk Street.
Tony Roblas, Senior Action Network, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community united in District 6. He requested that the Task Force extend the northern boundary for District 9 to 15th Street.
Dan Doat, Bayview Merchants, requested that the northern boundary for District 10 be 16th Street rather than Mariposa.
Olga Tikonola requested that the Task Force keep Grove between Cole and Schrader streets in District 5.
Tommy Gallegos thanked the Task Force for keeping the Portola united in District 9.
Chris Bowman, 1995 Task Force member, proposed five additional moves to the Task Force which would unite neighborhoods and change various population deviations.
Mary Helen Briscoe thanked the Task Force work for its hard work and for keeping NOPA united in District 5. She requested that the blocks on Cole, Schrader, Grove, Hayes and Stanyan Streets remain in District 5.
Lisa Spanila thanked the Task Force for keeping the Sunnyside neighborhood in District 7.
Tad Buchner requested that the Task Force keep Cole, Schrader, Grove, Hayes and Stanyan Streets in District 5. He requested that the Task Force move census block 2006, bounded by McAllister, Central, Fulton, and Masonic, to District 1. He also requested that the Task Force keep 55 Laguna in District 5
Tes Welborn thanked the Task Force for its hard work and sensitivity and endurance the redistricting process. She requested that the Task Force keep Cole, Schrader, Grove, Hayes and Stanyan Streets in District 5.
Bradley Wedemeyer requested that the Task Force keep the Market Street Central Business area united in District 6.
Brianna Breen requested that the Task Force keep Cole, Schrader, Grove, Hayes and Stanyan Streets in District 5.
Jillian Gillette thanked the Task Force for moving blocks at Guerrero, Duncan, and San Jose from District 8 into District 9. She also urged the Task Force to move the District 8 and District 9 border to Mission St.
Joe Boss requested that the Task Force that the northern boundary for District 10 be 16th Street.
Tony Kelly, Potrero Hill Boosters Association, requested that the northern boundary for District 10 be 16th Street. He stated that the area with greatest community sensitivity from Mission Bay development is in Dogpatch/ Potrero Hill.

Domencia Henderson, Legislative Aide to District 5 Supervisor Olague, stated that Supervisor Olague's Office received correspondence relating to the 55 Laguna, Hayes Valley commercial corridor, Inner Sunset and NOPA areas. She requested that the Task Force listen to the issues raised by these individuals in trying to keep communities of interest united in District 5.
Angelica Cabanda, SOMA Community Action Network, supports the Community Unity map, which had the boundary for District 6 at 15th Street. This would keep the Filipino community united in District 6.
Lorenza Lastanza, Tenderloin Filipino Association, requested that the Task Force keep Filipino community united in District 6.
Jesus Perez requested that the Task Force keep the SOMA Filipino community together by moving the boundaries for District 6 to 15th between Harrision and Valencia Streets.
Nelli Savedra requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community united in District 6.
Raymond Castillio requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community united in District 6.
Marti Dallalus, SOMA Community Action Network, requested that the Task Force keep the Filipino community united District 6 and urged the Task Force to put the District 6 boundary at 15th St from Valencia to Harrison.
Dayam Polganas, intern at SOMA Community Action Network, testified that historically the SOMA neighborhood was a starting point for Filipino immigrants urged the Task Force to move the line to 15th St, from Valencia to Harrison and keep families together.
Otto Duffy requested that the Task Force keep the Bristol Hotel and Maria Manor in District 6 and consider flipping Treasure Island.
Allan Alano requested that the Task Force to keep the Filipino community in District 6.
Doug Comstock requested that the Task Force keep the block bordered by Cole, Schrader, Hayes, Grove and Fulton in District 5.
Chris Koppel requested that the Task Force keep the block bordered by Grove, Cole, Schrader and Hayes Streets in District 5.
Robert Ruske, Japantown Planning Group, thanked the Task Force for reuniting Japantown and Fillmore.
Marc Soloman thanked the Task Force for keeping the Mission District united.
Chris Jackson thanked the Task Force for keeping Potrero whole with the Bayview. He requested that the Task Force move the northern boundary for District 10 to 16th Street.
Jim Cowan requested that the Task Force keep NOPA in District 5 including the Fulton Plaza.
Kimberly Hathaway requested that the Task Force keep NOPA united in District 5.
Mike Quinn requested that the Task Force include Mansell as a boundary for District 9.
Walter Caplan, Forest Knolls Neighborhood Association, thanked the Task Force for a remarkable job. He thanked the Task Force for keeping Forest Knolls and West of Twin Peaks in one district. He urged the Task Force to bring Maria Manor and the Bristol Hotel into District 6.

Member Schreiber, seconded by Member Mondejar, moved to adopt the Final Map.
Member Pilpel, seconded by Member Schreiber, moved to rescind the vote to permit time for a final review before the Task Force adopted the map. The motion passed without objection.

Note: The Task Force returned to Item 4 after considering Item 5 and voted to adopt the final map at that time. See motion by Member Alonso noted above.

5. **Task Force Map and Report.** *(2:48 p.m. to 5:40 p.m.) (5:52 p.m. to 5:55 p.m.)*
The Task Force made revisions to the Final Report and adopted its Final Report.

Member Schreiber, seconded by Lam, moved to adopt the Final Report. The motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes: 9 - Alonso, Lam, Leigh, Melara, Mondejar, McDonnell, Pilpel, Schreiber, Tidwell
Public Comment: None

Note: The Task Force recessed at 5:10 p.m. and reconvened at 5:27 p.m.
The Task Force returned to Item 4 at 5:40 p.m.
The Task Force returned to Item 5 at 5:52 p.m.

6. **Press Conference.** *(5:55 p.m. to 5:58 p.m.)*
The Task Force discussed the possibility to hold a press conference to present the Task Force's final map and report.
Public Comment: None

7. **Task Force Budget.** (*5:58 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.)*
The Task Force reviewed its budget and expenses. The Task Force suggested that future Task Forces begin the budget process earlier as to seek more funding and provide greater community outreach.
Public Comment: None

8. **Public Comment.**
None

9. **Adjournment.**
The meeting was adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

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